

IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Doings of those serving
their country on land, on
the sea, and in the air.

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LAC Don McBride, Dunnville, spent the weekend at his home. Tpr. Delbert Pemberton, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pemberton.

Major A. H. Woods has returned to North Bay after spending a week at his home. He also visited friends in the district.

AC2 Harry Peppiatt, Kingston, is spending two weeks furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Peppiatt.

Cfn. Stuart Perrin, Halifax, N.S., is spending two weeks furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perrin.

AW2 Margaret E. Boddington, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Boddington, Newmarket, has been transferred from Trenton to Halifax, N.S.

LAC J. E. Bothwell, who has been home on furlough from Mont Joli, Que., returned on Monday. Mrs. Bothwell accompanied him.

Pte. Doreen Gardner and a friend, Pte. Mary McPhee, C.W.A.C., Kitchener, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. Gardner.

Pte. William Jordon, who has been stationed at Toronto, has been transferred to Red Deer, Alta.

TUES., OCT. 10 DATE TO VOTE ON RINK ISSUE

On Tuesday, Oct. 10, voters in Newmarket who are qualified to vote on money by-laws, will be asked to vote on the question: Are you in favor of the purchase by Newmarket of the Newmarket arena property for operation as a town enterprise for \$17,000, and for the issue of debentures for such sum payable over a period of eight years.

Voters who are qualified to vote on this by-law are those who own property and those who have leases over a term equal to the period of payment and who pay all municipal taxes on the property of which they are tenants.

If the vote is favorable, Newmarket will apply to the Ontario legislature for a private bill to be passed at the next session, and subject to the approval of the Ontario Municipal Board, authorizing the issuance of debentures to cover the cost of the arena.

The polls will be open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. For St. George's ward, 1A and 1B, the location of the poll is 79 Prospect St. For St. Andrew's ward, 2A and 2B, location of the poll is the Market building. For St. Patrick's ward, 3A and 3B, location of the poll is the fire hall.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Mrs. George Dorland, a former Newmarket resident, died suddenly at her home in Woodstock on Monday. Mrs. Dorland is survived by her husband and two sons, Bill and Dugal.

Town Arena Will Pay, Councillors Re-Assert

In criticism of the citizens who have charged that the arena is a white elephant, Councillor Joel Spillette declared in council meeting Monday night: "It is my own personal experience that the arena does pay."

"I rented the arena for one year at the cost of \$1,000. I only used the arena for four months of that year but in that time, I was able to make a sizeable profit."

Mr. Spillette spoke during a discussion by council of the proposal that the town purchase the rink and during which, the councillors re-affirmed their belief in the worth of the proposal.

Deputy-Reeve Arthur Evans protested that he thought there was too much feeling that the purchase of the rink would mean a financial loss. "Does it have to be a loss?" asked Mr. Evans. "Certainly not."

"For one thing, where there were six or seven shareholders operating the arena with a capitalization of \$34,000, a town-owned arena would be operating with a capitalization of \$17,000 with the population of Newmarket as shareholders."

"The rink would be run as a sound business. The profits could be turned into the arena or used for improvements to the municipality."

Reeve Lundy said: "From time to time I have been confronted by citizens who claim that the arena is a white elephant. I don't think those citizens are taking the right attitude. The question is, 'is the rink a part of the community life?'"

"The arena company couldn't make it pay but the company carried a capitalization of \$34,000. We have a 50 percent better chance of making a profit on the arena with a capitalization of \$17,000."

"There is no doubt about it," Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales declared. "We can carry the arena and make a profit on it."

BUDD HAS LUCK, PAIR SET RECORD

Bert Budd and Jack Luck have added another laurel to the growing fame of Newmarket bowlers. The pair hung up what they believe to be a record at Beeton yesterday afternoon. In three games, they rolled up a score of 80 points. High for three wins, they were presented with a chicken each.

Andrew Mursion and Doug Brown were third in the tournament with three wins and Jim Law and Bob Large won two games. The bowlers were very enthusiastic about the chicken dinner they had at Beeton.

Monday afternoon, J. O. Little and Vaughan Goring, Herb Cain and Stanley James came home with birds from Tottenham. The first pair won turkeys, the second pair won chickens.

BLOOD CLINIC OCT. 20

The Red Cross blood donors' clinic will be held at Newmarket on Friday, Oct. 20, in Trinity United church. Prospective blood donors are asked to phone 250 or apply to the town clerk's office for an appointment.

REPORTED MISSING



F.O. Geale Hewson is reported missing over occupied territory. His plane is believed to have been hit by anti-aircraft fire during a mission on Sept. 9.

F.O. Hewson was born in Newmarket 22 years ago, the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hewson. He attended Alexander Muir school and Newmarket high school. Before his enlistment in the air force in October, 1941, F.O. Hewson was a sergeant in the second battalion, Queen's York Rangers (reserve). He trained at Brandon, Man., Dafoe, Sask., and Oshawa and received his wings in November, 1942, at Aylmer, Ont. Then he was transferred to the east coast where he was stationed for about a year before proceeding overseas.

His sister, S.O. Elizabeth H. Hewson, is overseas with the R.C.A.F. (W.D.). His brother, Lieut. F. I. Hewson, is also overseas with the Canadian army. Mr. and Mrs. Hewson moved from Newmarket four years ago and are now residing at Niagara-on-the-Lake.

REJOINS UNIT

In a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gardner, Tpr. Bill Gardner, who received a hand-wound while in action and was in hospital in Rome for three weeks, said he was back with his unit.

IS IN NORMANDY

Capt. Ernest J. Fallo, former Salvation Army Auxiliary Services officer at Newmarket training centre and officer in charge of the Salvation Army work in Newmarket, is now in Normandy.

BOWLERS WILL MEET

A meeting for all bowlers who are interested in forming a five-pin league is called for Thursday evening, Oct. 12, at 8 o'clock, at Geor & Byers' office on Bedford St.

Opinions on Arena Purchase

Following the practice of last week, The Era and Express prints additional opinions on the proposal to purchase the arena. As last week, the majority of the opinions are in favor of the purchase. The editor regrets that he was unable to obtain opinions which were against the proposal in order to present both sides of the question. For, the opinions printed here are by no means to be interpreted as representing the majority of the voters.

L. H. Bovair: "I heartily endorse the purchase of the arena by the citizens of Newmarket. As skating and hockey are clean and healthy pastimes for the development of our youth, in the wintertime it would be well worth any money spent."

"The arena could be a big asset in planning a recreation and community centre in our town."

"Newmarket has long lacked the proper facilities and supervision for our youth, who wish to take part in activities where team-play is involved."

"The purchase by our citizens would greatly help the schools in planning a schedule so the children of like ages could enjoy the rink at various intervals."

"This would greatly relieve the congested condition which the children have had to put up with in the past, and would lessen the chance of injury and enable the child to learn the art of skating and enjoy it."

"Come on folks, let's get in the swim, vote to benefit our children."

Dr. R. L. Hewitt: "The medical health records of the Canadian army will bear out the fact that we, as Canadians, have sadly neglected physical education. It is a well known fact that a healthy body produces a healthy mind."

"I feel that if people would look at the purchase of the arena in the light of health rewards, both mentally and physically, it will more than make up for the financial expenditure. Canada, today, is a prominent nation. We will be the leading nation in time and we must prepare now for the future generations."

"Sick men take a high toll in death, doctors and cents. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

Silas Armitage: "I am very much in favor of the town taking over the arena and hope that the true Canadian citizens of Newmarket back the council on Oct. 10 by voting 100 percent yes."

"At \$17,000, the arena can be made a paying proposition. But it is not dollars and cents that Canadian people are striving for, but rather, the much better rewards in store for us in the betterment of mind and physical development of youth. The arena has a central role in the improvement of our youth."

F. L. Hall: "Having been asked for an opinion on the arena question, it must necessarily be that of one who is very anxious to see the rink operate, as I am keenly interested in the athletic recreation of our boys and girls, but also of one whose financial status will not be in the least affected by any purchase which the council might make."

"We hear so much these days about the increase in juvenile delinquency that we cannot but be concerned about it. We adults are sometimes prone to follow our own paths of recreation and pastime, and become disinterested in the same for the younger people. They will find some sort of amusement. 'Boys will be boys' the same as we were in the past. So why not provide them with a proper means of recreation which may not be as expensive as paying for the lack of it. Law courts, detention schools and embittered young people are also quite expensive."

"Then, too, I would suggest that the rink could be made to pay its way. Building from the bottom up, could we not have our own hockey and box lacrosse teams? Many other suggestions have been made. Dancing, roller skating, wrestling, boxing, badminton, political meetings and other activities could be promoted there."

"I sincerely hope and trust, for the sake of our boys and girls, that the rink will continue to operate as such. From what I have seen of these boys and girls, I feel they are worthy of the best that can be provided for them."

Dr. C. E. VanderVoort: "Occasionally into the life of a community, even as into your life or mine, there comes an opportunity to do a good turn for a great number of individuals."

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SIR WILLIAM MULOCK BURIED IN NEWMARKET FAMILY PLOT; TOWN MOURNS KINDLY FRIEND

Sir William Mulock was borne to rest at Newmarket cemetery yesterday after funeral services that were an appropriate end to a gloriously full and successful life.

At the service were men and women representative of all phases of Sir William's long and brilliant career. There were statesmen, lawyers, educators, as well as friends and admirers.

A private funeral service was held at 2 p.m. in the parlors of his home on Jarvis St., attended by about 50 relatives and very close friends.

The doors of the residence were closed and a special police guard took position. Included in that intimate gathering were Rosamond Pratt, housekeeper for the past 31 years; James Clarke, gardener for 36 years; and Jack Holden, private chauffeur for 33 years.

From his home the procession wended its way to St. Paul's Anglican church, Bloor St., where one of the largest funerals in the history of Toronto took place.

Thousands of people from all walks and theatres of life thronged the church and lined adjacent streets. A police escort was in attendance from one o'clock until four thirty when the mile-long cortege proceeded to Newmarket.

The public service for Sir William was conducted by the rector, Canon F. H. Wilkinson, and the Rev. Canon H. J. Cody, president of the University of Toronto, and former rector of St. Paul's. Passages of Scripture and a lesson from 1st Corinthians, chapter 15, beginning—"O death, where is thy sting?" were read by Canon Wilkinson. Rt. Rev. A. R. Beverley, D.D., suffragan bishop of Toronto, acting on behalf of Archbishop Owen, Primate of Canada, pronounced the benediction.

The funeral oration on Sir William "whose life almost stems our country's history and who played so great a part in the moulding of that young country" was delivered by Dr. Cody, who remarked that few men have persevered so long with youth and energy, mental and physical.

In reviewing the expansive life of Sir William, Dr. Cody said he was of Irish ancestry and that his grandfather immigrated to Canada. His father was a country physician at Bonhead and at the age of 36 died of overwork and over-exposure.

Dr. Cody spoke of Sir William's varied careers as lawyer, parliamentarian, chief justice, educationist and statesman of the empire. "The system of federation of various colleges into the University of Toronto, doing away with sectarianism was his invention. It was he who established the Harting Research Foundation, whereby young men with fruitful ideas might have the opportunity to develop them."

"He gave a splendid lead in this city to various welfare societies. He was ever keenly interested in the affairs of his country and the world and felt the urge to serve the community."

"Sir William was a lover of Canada. He loved the open air, the trees were his friends."

Dr. Cody repeated words once spoken by Sir William—"I warm both hands against the fire of life."

The congregation, which filled the church, joined with the choir in singing two of Sir William's favorite hymns, Abide With Me and Lead Kindly Light, and the choir alone sang the 90th Psalm. During the service the mournful tones of the Dead March in Saul, played on the church organ by Dr. Charles Peaker, reverberated throughout the edifice. Then as the casket was borne down the aisle and out of the church to start on the journey to Newmarket cemetery, the choir sang Nunc Dimittis—"Nunc Dimitt Thou Thy servant depart in peace."

Among Sir William's oldest friends was Prime Minister King, who with Hon. Louis St. Laurent, minister of justice, represented the dominion government. Present also was Hon. George Drew, premier of Ontario, members of the Ontario cabinet, Chief Justice H. S. Robertson, of the high court of Ontario; Dr. L. McCarthy, K.C., former secretary of the Law Society of Upper Canada, and others representing Canada's railroads, the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, the Men of the Trees and various organizations.

Among the honorary pallbearers were Prime Minister King and Mr. St. Laurent. Others were: Col. Redford Mulock, the Hon. R. S. Robertson, chief justice of the Ontario supreme court; Dr. L. McCarthy, K.C.; Rev. Dr. Bruce Macdonald, J. J. Gibson, Hon. W. D. Ross, Lou Wood, Sam King, K.C.; J. E. McAllister, Hon. J. H. Thompson, C. H. Corbett, Hon. H. H. Thompson, Hon. J. B. Atkinson, Hon. J. W. Davis, Newmarket; J. M. Walton, Aurora; J. B. Smith, Richmond Hill; Dr. L. W. Dales, mayor of Newmarket; Gen. D. M. Hogarth, Major John Cawthra, Erie Ryerson, W. H. Gunn and J. D. N. Waghorn. Active pallbearers included: Col. A. B. Kirkpatrick, a son-in-law; Dr. Howard Burnham and seven grandsons: Hon. W. P. Mulock, A. W. M. Kirkpatrick, W. J. Mulock, T. H. Mulock, Wilfrid Thompson, Stanley Thomson and Alfred Rogers Mulock.

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THE LATE SIR WILLIAM MULOCK

In Deepest Sympathy

Moved by Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales and seconded by Reeve Fred Lundy: That this council has learned with deep regret of the passing of Sir William Mulock and extends to the Hon. W. P. Mulock and the other members of the family of the late Sir William Mulock the deepest sympathy of the citizens of Newmarket in their bereavement.

The council further goes on record as expressing the gratitude and appreciation for the interest the late Sir William always took in the town of Newmarket and for his many generous expressions of his interest in practical ways.

Signed, Arthur Evans, acting mayor.
The motion was passed by an unanimous standing vote.

Pte. Jack Slade Killed In Action In France

Word has been received from LAW Edna Slade, overseas, that her husband, Pte. Jack Slade, was killed in action in France on Aug. 20. Pte. Slade was 32 years old. He joined the 48th Highlanders and trained at Camp Borden. In June, 1943, he proceeded to England.

LAW Slade left Newmarket for the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) in October, 1943, and was sent to England in July, 1944, where she hoped to meet her husband, only to find that his unit was already in France.

Clifford T. Bosworth Dies In Italian Fight

Thomas Bennet Bosworth, Sutton West, received word on Tuesday that his younger son, Pte. Clifford Theodore Bosworth, was killed in action in Italy on Sept. 20.

Pte. Bosworth was born in Mount Albert on Aug. 13, 1907. He attended the Presbyterian church in Sutton West. Before his enlistment in July, 1943, he was employed in Toronto. He trained at Simcoe and Camp Borden and went overseas in February, 1944. A month later he went to Italy.

Pte. Bosworth is also survived by one brother, Jack, at home, and four sisters, Mrs. Wm. Moulds (Gladys), Sutton West, Mrs. Nelson Shanks (Ruth), Newmarket, Mrs. Bruce Graham (Alice), Newmarket, and Miss Velma Bosworth, Island Grove.

RESIDENCE IS PAINTED

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lundy have had their residence on Church St. painted.

Late News

Russia predicts the fall of Berlin within a few days.

Canadians in Belgium have gained ground near Antwerp and are approaching the rear of two Dutch islands fortified by Nazis.

Germany says the American First Army has advanced four and a half miles into German defences at Aachen.

The Allies are reported to have seized one-quarter of Greece mainland.

British forces made slight gain in the Nijmegen sector.

Hitler's second secret weapon has been tried out on the British First Army.

SOLDIER RECOVERING

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Morton received a letter on Monday from their son, Spr. Wallace Morton, who was recently wounded in Italy. Spr. Morton told his parents that his right leg had been amputated above the knee. He has also lost the first three fingers on his left hand. Spr. Morton says he is feeling fine.

DIES IN ITALY



Pte. Thos. Richard Warby, 30 years old, died in Italy on Sept. 10. Pte. Warby made his home with Mr. and Mrs. George Myers over since coming to Newmarket ten years ago. He enlisted in January, 1943, went overseas in August, 1943, and went to Italy in October of the same year.

RETURNS HOME

Rfn. Walter Germain, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Germain, Newmarket, arrived at his home early Monday morning after spending 21 months overseas. Rfn. Germain enlisted in June, 1942, and trained at Toronto, Orillia and Camp Borden. He went to France on D-day with the Queen's Own Rifles. He received a bad wound in his forehead while still on the beach. He is 28 years old.

COMING EVENTS

Friday, Oct. 13—Euchre and dance in town hall under auspices of Davis Leather Co. Employees' association at 7.45 p.m. Five-piece orchestra. Entertainment during intermissions. At least 50 of proceeds will go to the Veterans' Cigarette Fund. c1w36

Friday, Oct. 13—Talent sale and tea under the auspices of Good Cheer club in Christian church basement. From 3 to 6 p.m. c2w38

Thursday, Oct. 24—Hope and Shovel Hockey club are holding a lucky draw on a Holstein male calf at a sale in Sharon hall. Proceeds for new wing of York County hospital. c1w36

Friday, Nov. 3—Red Cross Halloween dance in the Newmarket high school auditorium. Art Wast's orchestra. Please reserve this date. c1w36

On Wednesday, Oct. 4, Sir William Mulock, in his 102nd year, was laid to rest in Newmarket cemetery. He lies beside his mother and father on the brow of a hill overlooking the valley in which his youth was spent.

Over 500 people from all walks of life were present at the simple graveside service. The nation's leaders stood beside farmers and factory workers, united in common homage. As Dr. G. H. Johnson led the service, the cry of a little child was heard from where a mother held her baby.

Westward from where Sir William was buried, through an arch of trees, could be seen the valley serene and bright with autumn's colors. The afternoon sun shone strongly on the faces of the spectators. The air was still.

The funeral procession entered Newmarket shortly before five o'clock. Main St. was lined with townsfolk and school children, and others had vantage points on the post office steps and at upstairs windows. The south end of Main St. was lined by a guard of honor of troops from Newmarket military camp. Besides the troops, were the Air Cadets. As the procession slowly passed, the troops presented arms and the cadets snapped to attention. The crowd waited almost an hour for the procession.

The funeral procession, led by provincial police, was close to a mile in length. Not a sound except the soft whirr of rubber tires was heard in the street as the procession proceeded towards the cemetery.

The road through the cemetery was lined with veterans who stiffened to attention as the procession entered. Many citizens were waiting in the cemetery when the procession arrived.

The service was short and dignified. Following the service, the veterans approached the grave in single file, saluted, and placed their poppies among the flowers.

Premier Mackenzie King stood at the head of the grave with Col. W. P. Mulock, while ministers of the cabinet and other dignitaries stood in a semicircle about them. Newmarket town council was present in a body. Beyond these, bareheaded spectators stood quietly.

The editor regrets that this week, due to lack of space, many items were left out. Next week, all news to have appeared this week, will be printed.

Last War Veteran Is Buried In Newmarket

Ezra Earl Morrison, son of Mrs. C. K. Morrison, Newmarket, and the late Mr. Morrison, died in Westminster hospital, London, Ont., on Friday. Mr. Morrison had been hospitalized most of the time since the last war.

Born in East Gwillimbury township on Feb. 4, 1893, Mr. Morrison enlisted at the age of 23 years in Red Deer, Alta. He left Edmonton, Alta., in July, 1915, for overseas and was attached to the 17th reserve battalion.

Mr. Morrison attended the Christian church and was a member of the I.O.O.F. Rev. Alexander B. Stein and Rev. Henry Cotton conducted the funeral service in Newmarket on Monday afternoon. Interment was made in the veterans' plot, Newmarket cemetery.

Mr. Morrison is survived by his mother and five sisters. Two brothers predeceased him.

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IN MEMORIAM

All Canada mourns the passing of Sir William Mulock. Great statesman, outstanding citizen, the span of his years paralleled the making of this nation. As his destiny was shaped by history, so did he shape history. His contributions to Canada are eternal monuments to his breadth of vision, the strength of his conviction and his staunch Canadianism.

A nation is bereaved, but it was with a sense of personal loss that the folk in York North learned of his death. Canada was proud to call him her "Grand Old Man," but to the folk of this district, he was more, a kind neighbor and a good friend. Sir William's name and his attainments are a proud page in the chronicles of Canada and his memory is warm in the hearts of those who knew him.

THANKSGIVING

The ninth of October is Thanksgiving Day, the sixth Thanksgiving Day we have observed since war began.

Now, more than at any other time, we have cause for rejoicing. In Europe, our forces have hurled back the foe, back to and beyond the frontiers he called inviolate. At home, our harvest has been rich: our granaries are full to bursting. Our land is bright.

Yet in our thanksgiving, we will be wanting if we do not remember those who have made it possible, the gallant men and women in the uniform of our country. Nor must we forget those whose sons and husbands and brothers have died that we may live.

Let us this Thanksgiving Day be humble before our blessings. Let us this Thanksgiving Day re-dedicate ourselves to those who serve us, pledging they will not have served in vain.

THE ARENA CAN PAY

Last week, The Era and Express printed opinions on the proposal that the town purchase the Newmarket arena for \$17,000, payable over eight years. This week, The Era and Express continues the practice.

The proposal to purchase the arena is not a narrow issue, confined to the interests of a few and outside of the interests of the community. A town owned arena will be a community arena; its disposition will be decided by the community. The community will share its benefits.

The opinions printed in these columns were by no means representative, a matter of regret to the editor. The majority of the opinions were in favor of the arena and the reader might have the impression that the opinions represented a majority of the townsfolk. Such is not the case. There are many who are strongly against the

proposal but have not published that opinion. Chief objection to the proposal is that the cost is too high, that Newmarket Arena Ltd. is unloading an undesirable property on the town. The original contract price for the arena was \$32,000. With the addition of extras that were not included in the contract, the cost was \$35,000. The contractor lost money on the deal.

In their offer to the town, Newmarket Arena Ltd. stated that no dividend had been paid for some years. The question immediately asked is: If Newmarket Arena Ltd. couldn't pay a dividend, how do you expect the town to make a profit? It is a simple step from this question to the outright statement that the arena won't pay. In answer, there is the statement of Joel Spillette. Mr. Spillette said he rented the arena for a year at the cost of \$1,000. Operating four months of that year, he made a profit. Stanley Smith, who has acted as manager of the arena for several years, declares that the arena will pay.

The arena company couldn't operate the rink on a capitalization of \$35,000 and pay a dividend. There is no reason, however, why Newmarket cannot operate the rink on a capitalization of \$17,000, 50 percent of the original cost, and show a profit.

What Others Think PETERBOROUGH WAR MEMORIAL

(Toronto Daily Star)

The city of Peterborough has set an admirable example in its plans for a war memorial. It is to be a community centre for the promotion of citizens' health and culture. Thus by activities for the advancement of the people of Peterborough will be honored the memory of those who gave their lives in battle for human freedom and progress. The citizens' committee working on this memorial stated in its announcement: "In doing honor to those who gave their lives, it will serve to bring about a better city for which they fought. We have neglected the youth of our city in not giving them the necessary equipment and facilities with which to build sound bodies and minds, a requisite of good citizens. To correct this situation, the citizens will build a memorial Community Centre for Health, Culture and Recreation, with particular stress on the development of young people."

The proposed cost of the memorial centre is \$275,000. Toward this the Peterborough city council is contributing \$75,000, industries \$100,000, individuals and groups \$100,000, and the remainder is being solicited from former residents. The site was selected so as to work in with the scheme for developing a park where all the outdoor summer and fall athletic events are held.

When completed, the property will be deeded as a gift to the city. A commission to administer the centre will be appointed by provincial statute. The centre is to be operated on a revenue-paying basis and the profits that may accrue will be used for the extension and improvement of the centre and for the establishment of public playgrounds for children. "There is no chance of it ever falling into private hands for gain," the committee has stated. The entire Peterborough community has rallied behind the project.

It is of interest that the proposed Peterborough centre is to be operated on a revenue-paying basis. Community centres are thus being conducted by the municipalities of St. Catharines, Port Arthur, Owen Sound and Stratford. All have reported profits from annual operations. In Newmarket a plebiscite is to be held on Oct. 10 to decide on the purchase by the municipality of a skating rink at a cost of \$17,000. If purchased,

the Newmarket council will seek permission from the Ontario Municipal Board and the Ontario legislature to operate the rink on a fee basis. It is planned that later the rink will be reconstructed to serve as a general community centre.

It should be recalled that repeated appeals were made this spring that the city of Toronto purchase the Ulster and Oakwood stadiums and operate them on a revenue-producing basis. The board of control has been so slow in taking satisfactory steps in this matter that Toronto is losing or has already lost the chance to acquire them.

25 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, Oct. 5, 1919

Editor Lyman Jackson says the cry of the politician is heard throughout the land.

The editor advises readers to put four X's on their referendum ballot. Failure to do so will spoil the ballot and thus it will become a vote for the liquor people, he stated.

There was a Victory Loan that year too. It was needed to finish paying the expenses of demobilization and the obligations owing to the soldiers and to provide national working capital. People were advised to buy Victory bonds because they received 3 1/2 percent interest on their money.

The surest, safest and shortest route on the lower cost of living is the work-and-save route. Are you saving? Victory loan is coming. We have Victory but it is not paid for yet. Buy Victory bonds.—Editor Lyman Jackson.

The North York Victory loan office has been opened in rooms over Broughton's drug store. The executive is as follows: honorary chairman, Hon. E. J. Davis; chairman, H. E. Choppin, vice chairman, A. J. Davis; organizer, A. T. Quay; publicity organizer, H. E. Wallace; secretary, J. F. Adams; committees, publicity, K. N. Robertson; names, Wm. Keith; sales, P. W. Pearson; special subscriptions, W. A. Branton; finance, Aubrey Davis; employees, Mayor W. H. Eves; transportation, J. E. Nesbitt.

A young man was found peeping into the room of three young women in Kitchener. He spent the weekend in jail and paid a fine of \$50 and costs.

It is reported that Canadian overseas soldiers will have distributed among them two and a half million dollars, being a proportion of profits from the Y.M.C.A. canteens in France.

Newmarket Fair was held last week and attracted between 6,000 and 10,000 people. Exhibits included horses, cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, dairy products, root and field crops, fruits, garden vegetables, flowers, domestic products, embroidery and other articles. It seems that Newmarket did very well financially as a result of this fair.

Charles Howard Widdfield, junior judge at Grey county, has been appointed junior judge of York county.

Canada is at present paying war pensions to nearly 90,000 individuals at an annual cost of over \$24,000,000 and under the Pensions Act, which became effective Sept. 1, the majority of these will receive bonuses and increases which in the aggregate will create an additional annual expenditure of roughly \$4,000,000.

The Era and Express office is open on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 7.30 to 9.30 p.m. until the end of October.

In Passing

Alex. McIntosh, the man who sends cigars overseas on the behalf of the Veterans' Comforts fund, tells us that what spoils an otherwise enjoyable task is the incorrect or incomplete addresses he is given. Alex. showed us four examples of incorrect addressing. "The cigars for these boys have been delayed at least a month because the address was wrong," he said.

50 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, Oct. 5, 1894.

This is the season of the year when the gallant swains are wont to choose their mates and break away from the harbor of single blessedness to drift away on the sea of matrimony. Let go your anchor, boys, and if you make the right selection for a mate you can defy the storms of life and sail safely down the ocean of prosperity, happiness and conjugal bliss. The ministers and furniture dealers are watching you with fun in their eyes.

The dark evenings are driving the people off the streets and consequently the Institute Reading rooms are being filled again. More accommodation is necessary.

The machinists at Cane's factory have been busy lately getting a car of machinery off to Midland where J. E. Cane is superintending the construction of a wharf for the firm. The factory was lit by electricity on Wednesday evening, the first time this season. It looks pretty at a distance when the lights are all on.

Bogus \$10 bills on the Ontario Bank have been floated in Toronto.

THE COMMON ROUND MUD HOUSE

By ISABEL INGLIS COLVILLE

By request, I am re-writing an article published years ago in the Express-Herald about the ruins of a once magnificent home which, until a few years ago, stood on the Toole farm.

No, it isn't Egypt—it's Canada! Clean-cut as a cameo, creamy-white walls of a once magnificent building stand out against the sky. No doubt you have often driven the road between Bogartown and Pleasantville, but did you, in past days, ever notice that down in the valley below Mrs. Charles Toole's home, stood this relic of a former generation?

One hundred and four years ago Col. Beresford, an English army officer, came to this locality, seeking a home, and finding it here. On the banks of a little murmuring stream and facing the beautiful woods across its limpid waters, he decided to erect his home. No one now living remembers its building, but from various sources the story of it has come to us.

Strange as it may seem to us, who have only seen its ruins and their marvellous solidity, the walls were made of mud and pea straw, tramped down by a little pony. As the walls were three feet in thickness, the pony did not lack a sizeable promenade.

Its size—the house, not the pony—was, to the modest builders of pioneer homes, tremendous. It was 80 feet long by 40 feet wide, built in two sections connected by a huge reception hall, whose door was shaded by an imposing porch. This home, at last, stood in all its beauty, for from pictures of it, it was beautiful.

Let us, in imagination, walk in at the great front door, and pretend that the doors opening front it on either side are open and that we are privileged to wander at will through the rooms. Choosing a door on the right hand, we find ourselves in an immense ballroom, French windows opening on to the piazza, which ran around three sides of the mansion. The ballroom was divided into two sections by sliding doors and each section had its fireplace. Indeed, in this amazing home there were seven fireplaces—four up, three down. Leaving the ballroom, with its faint fragrance of pot pourri and suggestion of old-time gaiety, we cross the hall and find ourselves in another larger room—one of two on this side of the hall.

One of these is the library where the owner could sit before the great fireplace or stand in one of the deeply recessed windows and look at the lovely picture which spread before him.

Going upstairs we find ourselves in another great hall with two Gothic windows, whose seats were a great temptation to one to sit and dream—so a later owner tells me. Between these two windows was a shallow closet with a door without a knob. Tradition tells us that here Mrs. Beresford was wont to hide when the colonel had dined and wine and not wisely, but too well.

What a house it must have been for it had 18 rooms, seven large halls, 45 doors and seven fireplaces as aforesaid. But as we wander through it, we cannot feel it is a happy home. The colonel begged himself to build it and lived to regret his folly. Even going through it in imagination you feel:

"As one who treads alone
Some banquet hall deserted;
Whose lights are fled, whose
garlands dead,
And all but he, departed."
But before the old house fell into picturesque ruins and had at last, for safety reasons, to be

Genuine bills are issued with a tinted front and a red back. Pay attention to these \$10 bills and save ten years' subscription to The Era by refunding counterfeit.

J. D. Edgar, M.P., has been doing some figuring on the Lake Simcoe aqueduct for Toronto and says the company proposes to supply a quantity of electric light at 19 cents equal to what the people are now paying from 90 cents to \$1.05 for gas. These are startling figures.

MAPLE HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Gillion and Donald and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knights visited Russell Gillion, who is in Toronto General hospital, on Sunday.

Pte. Orville Knights, who is stationed at Brampton, spent the weekend at his home.

E. S. Kerr has accepted a call to Mount Albert Gospel church. He will continue with the church at Maple Hill.

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As a Newmarket school boy William Mulock, who celebrated his 101st birthday Jan. 19, took more "trimmings" than any of his fellows, but from his first try for parliament in 1882 until his retirement from politics in 1905 he never took a single political "trimming."

In fact, with his election in 1882 in a riding which party men had regarded as hopeless, he became a man who did the impossible. It was so when he brought together the various elements which make up the University of Toronto, when he brought about empire penny postage, when he turned into reality 20 years of talk about a Pacific cable from Canada to the Antipodes, and when he established Canada's department of labor with its new recognition of the rights of labor.

Underlying all these accomplishments was the pleasing and tactful personality and sterling character developed in the home of a Newmarket widow, in the old Newmarket grammar school, in cold winter mornings sawing wood, in early summer mornings taking the cow to pasture, in games of "shinny" on the pond and in summer's cricket games.

Sir William's grandfather, Wm. Mulock, left Banagher, Ireland, in 1834 and settled in Orillia with seven of his 12 children (four had died young).

The other child, Thomas Homan-Mulock, was born in 1811 and studied medicine in Ireland. He arrived in Canada, after a little wandering, probably in 1836. In 1837, when the rebellion broke out, he was at Lloydtown, and he and a brother joined a company (the nucleus of what became in 1867 the 12th York Rangers with headquarters in Newmarket) to help put down the rebels.

This Thomas Homan-Mulock (Sir William's father) subsequently began the practice of medicine at Bondhead, and in May, 1838, married Mary, only daughter of John Cawthra of Newmarket.

There were four children: John died in 1852 at the age of 12, Marian (the late Mrs. Boulbee), William, born Jan. 19, 1843, Phoebe (the late Mrs. George W. Monk).

Dr. Mulock died at 36 years of age after ten years of strenuous country practice. He was on call day and night, summer and winter, making his way, sometimes on foot but usually with the aid of a horse, over primitive roads and trails, and ministering to the settlers in their often primitive homes.

Prof. William James Loudon, in his biography of Sir William, tells how once, following the death of her husband, William's mother took him by sleigh 50 miles to Orillia to visit his grandfather.

Newmarket Mrs. Mulock brought her little family to Newmarket in 1848. When William was nearly seven he entered the old one-room grammar school (still standing at the northeast corner of Millard (Lot) and Raglan), which was dominated by the strap-wielding Rev. Hugh John Borthwick, M.A. Young William became the favorite victim of the Borthwick strap.

In the fall of 1854, when William was 11, a transformation came over education in Newmarket with the arrival of a new schoolmaster, Samuel Arthur Marling, who had been gold medalist in classics at the University of Toronto in 1853. Edward Blake, who placed second to Marling, was subsequently to be chancellor of the University of Toronto when William Mulock was vice-chancellor.

Marling had the gift of inspiring his pupils. He loved learning, and his pupils soon caught from him the same desire to "find out." Marling subsequently became deputy-minister of education for Ontario.

Young William Mulock lived a busy life. Of a spring day he would rise at 5 a.m., work in the garden for a while, take the cow to pasture (where the high school and Pickering College are now located), join the other boys for a game of cricket, return home for breakfast and then get off to school. After school it was probably more work in the garden, perhaps some more cricket, get the cow, have supper and pretty soon to bed.

In the fall and winter there were great quantities of wood to saw, and "shinny" to play. At all times of the year there were expeditions to make into the bush with the other lads, and in the spring and summer fishing to be done. Young William was adept at lying on the bank of the Bogartown creek and inching a stealthy hand down into the water to catch "suckers."

William Mulock made his first visit to Toronto in 1856 when he was 13 years old. His next visit was in 1859, when he entered the University of Toronto as a freshman.

William Mulock was in residence at the University of Toronto. In his second year he

won the scholarship in languages and in his fourth year he won the gold medal in modern languages. He received the degree of Bachelor of Arts in 1863.



Wm. Mulock
as a law student

While at university he joined the university rifle corps. It was evidence of a life-long interest in affairs military, perhaps stimulated by the Crimean war of his boyhood. In 1866, at the time of the Fenian raid, he enlisted in the Queen's Own Rifles and spent three months under arms without seeing the raiders.

The same interest was evident when, the day the Great War broke out in August, 1914, Sir William left his summer home at Armitage and hastened to Toronto, where he discussed with E. R. Wood, prominent business man, and J. E. Atkinson, publisher of the Toronto Star, the establishment of a patriotic fund to take care of soldiers' dependents. The result was the establishment of the Toronto and York Patriotic fund, which became a branch of the subsequently established Canadian Patriotic fund. Sir William was president throughout the war of the Toronto and York organization, which at one time was helping more than 10,000 families. Toronto and York enlistments totalled 70,000.

This interest in soldiers and their families continued till his death. Though he had been ill, and had to be helped into his car, he insisted on coming to Aurora and Newmarket on Nov. 11, 1943, to lay wreaths on the Great War memorials.

Lawyer and Statesman After graduation from university William Mulock spent six months at the home of his mother in Newmarket. There was no law school in Ontario at that time and, to carry out his mother's plan that he should be a lawyer, he articulated himself to a Newmarket solicitor, Alfred Boulbee.

There was not as much experience in Newmarket as he would have liked and in May, 1864, he went to Toronto and began work for John Hector, K.C., for \$80 a year. As there were no typewriters, the law clerk's duties involved a great deal of copying. He was supposed to round out his experience and his studies by attending court at Osgoode hall and following the proceedings.

William Mulock secured also evening and Sunday employment as a housemaster at Upper Canada College. This brought him \$180 a year, said to be almost enough to pay his board.

Mr. Mulock completed his law studies with Ross, Lauder and Patterson and was called to the bar in 1867.

He soon began to succeed at the bar and in the early 1870's he felt that he was well enough established financially to take an interest in his hobbies, higher education and politics.

His university career had left with him ideas about what might be done to improve Ontario's facilities for higher education. The first cause in which he took an interest was the securing of graduate representation on the University of Toronto senate. He and his collaborators succeeded in this project and he found himself one of the new graduate representatives. In 1881 he was elected vice-chancellor of the university, although opposed by those who did not approve of the young university reformers.

In the years that followed he fought for reform, progress and expansion, and he was much criticized by those who did not want things as they were disturbed. His biographer, Prof. Loudon, says that there were those who were "aghast at his restless interest and desire for progress in all branches of education."

University Federation Although opposed bitterly at times, he was able gradually to bring about, through tactful handling of the various interested parties, what is known as "university federation." This meant the union with the University of Toronto of St. Michael's College, Victoria University, Trinity College, Wycliffe College, Knox College, the On-

tario College of Agriculture at Guelph, the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, the Conservatory of Music and other institutions.

The program of expansion included the establishment of the faculty of medicine. Federation made available to each college the teaching facilities of the other colleges.

In 1900, because of the pressure of his duties as a member of the dominion government, Sir William retired as vice-chancellor. Edward Blake retired as chancellor at the same time. A few years later legislation abolished the office of vice-chancellor. Sir William disapproved of this step.

In October, 1923, Sir William was nominated as chancellor. He was the candidate of the university's graduates. Sir Edmund Walker was put forward by the staff, and was elected. Sir Edmund died early in the following year and Sir William was unanimously chosen to succeed him. He was re-elected every four years.

Politics When William Mulock began to stir things up at the University of Toronto he also began to take an active interest in politics, and naturally turned an eye to the riding of North York in which he had grown up.

There was a Liberal convention in Newmarket in 1881. Dr. Strange, a Conservative, was the sitting member. Dr. Widdifield, who had been the Reform

or Liberal member of the Ontario legislature, and William Mulock were nominated. Dr. Widdifield won the nomination, but the following year three Liberal municipalities were dropped from North York and a normally Conservative section of Simcoe county was added.

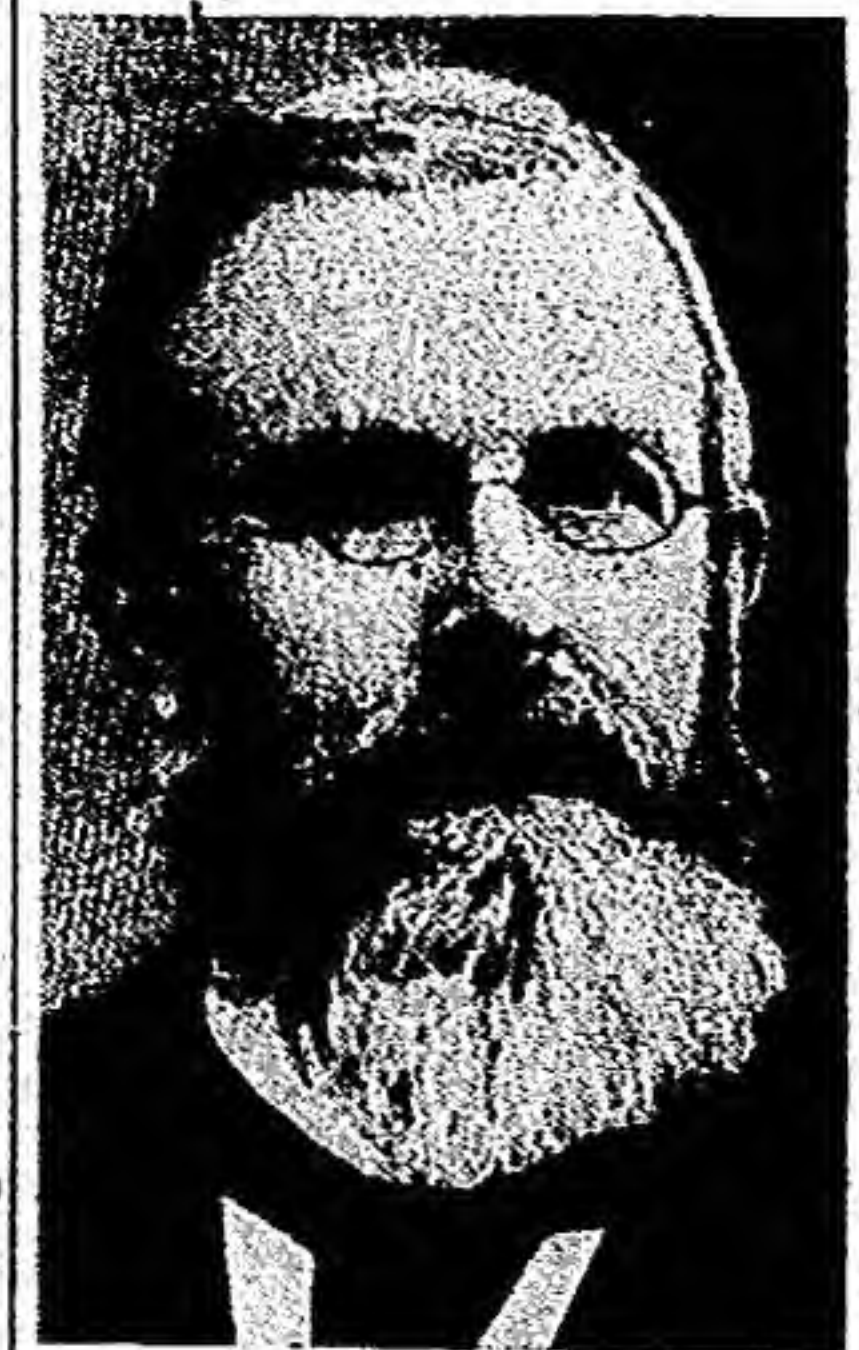
A new convention became necessary, and was held in May, 1882. Dr. Widdifield did not like the prospects and declined the nomination. William Mulock accepted the challenge and in the election of a month later won the riding by 182 votes. It was a personal triumph and a surprise to both foe and supporter. In each of his subsequent elections he increased his majority until in his last election it was nearly 1,000.

William Mulock soon found his way into the front ranks of the Liberal opposition at Ottawa, and when the Laurier government was formed in 1896 Mr. Mulock was named postmaster-general.

In transforming the annual post office loss of \$750,000 into a profit he reorganized and expanded the department, establishing the postal note system and making other innovations.

Sir William told of the introduction of penny postage and establishment of a Pacific cable in a radio broadcast in March, 1940. He said:

"In the autumn of 1897 the finances of the department had so improved that I decided to begin the reduction above outlined, by



Wm. Mulock
as minister of labor

informing the British post office that on Christmas day, 1897, the three-cent letter rate in Canada would be extended to Great Britain. In response, the British post office department expressed the view that, without its consent, Canada was not entitled to reduce its outgoing rate. This surprised me, for Canada was entitled to retain all postage collected on outgoing letters and, therefore, Great Britain was not interested financially in our outgoing letter rates.

"There then followed a discus-

sion by correspondence between the two departments as to Canada's right to make such reduction, and at last a deadlock was reached. Being convinced that Great Britain would not yield and that Canada was entitled to reduce its outgoing rates, I decided to cut the gordian knot, which I did, by announcing that on Christmas day, 1897, the rate to England would be reduced to three cents per letter.

"The British post office then made a proposition that the proposed reduction be postponed until a conference between the different governments of the empire could be had and the question discussed. To this I assented, and postponed the reduction until after the conference. It was held in London, England, beginning on the 28th of June, 1898, and ending on the 12th of July. On that day the conference reached a decision by a majority of one vote. I read from the minutes of the conference—"on the motion of the Hon. William Mulock, representative of the dominion of Canada, seconded by Sir David Tennant, representative of Cape Colony, it was resolved that provision be made for the adoption of penny postage within the empire."—and thus it was that penny postage became a fact accomplished within the empire.

"A pleasing incident followed the adoption of that motion—Australia and New Zealand had opposed it, and when the vote (Page 4, Col. 1)

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was announced, their representatives arose to leave the meeting, leaving it to the other representatives to work out the details for bringing inter-imperial penny postage into effect—whereupon I suggested to them a conference the following day to revive the question of construction of an all-British cable between Canada and Australasia. To this they readily assented and such a meeting was held.

"The subject of constructing a Pacific cable had been discussed at meetings of representatives of the interested governments in different parts of the empire during many years. Every government favored it. I was present, as a guest, at a banquet at one of such meetings. Every speaker enthusiastically supported the scheme and evoked rapturous applause when, in stirring patriotic words, he pictured a thin red line uniting the outlying British colonies to the mother country in an indissoluble bond, but, when the tumult and the shouting died and the banquet ended, the patriotic supporters of the scheme returned to their respective homes in far off lands without having referred to the question of construction.

"When we met to discuss the revival of the scheme we at once directed our attention to its practical phase, namely, the cost, and its apportionment among the different governments con-

which has now been in operation for some 40 years, rendering useful service to the empire."

When Postmaster-General Mulock returned to Ottawa and secured the approval of the Canadian government for Canada's contribution to the scheme he secured passage of a bill adopting the principle of public ownership and state control of the Pacific cable.

Although Postmaster-General Mulock had had to fight the imperial postal authorities, it became evident that everything he had done had been a contribution toward empire solidarity. Penny postage, the Pacific cable and wireless telegraph were helping Clifford Sifton's British immigration and it was soon apparent that William Mulock, the innovator, was an empire builder. Formal recognition of these accomplishments came in 1902 when the Earl of Minto, governor-general of Canada, recommended the former Newmarket school boy for the title of Knight Commander of St. Michael and St. George.

Postmaster-General Mulock, in London at the time, was called in by Colonial Minister Joseph Chamberlain (father of Austen and Neville) and informed of the honor to be done him.

Department of Labor

The story of Sir William's new deal for the common man begins before the turn of the century. In appraising these events it should be remembered that at this time the British

tions in Toronto and appealed to Postmaster-General Mulock to put an end to "the sweating system" in the sub-letting of government contracts for postmen's uniforms.

Mr. Mulock arranged to put into future contracts the provision that the contractor must make the uniforms himself under specified working conditions. He also requested Mr. King to broaden his studies and report further on working conditions in Canadian industry. The result was published by the house of commons under the title, "A Report upon the Need for Suppression of the Sweating System in Canada," and Mr. Mulock's "Fair Wages Resolution" of 1900.

Mr. Mulock saw that there was a job to be done for labor and he went about setting up a department of labor in an unobtrusive way. This avoidance of "china shop" tactics has been characteristic of all his great accomplishments in bringing conflicting viewpoints together.

He arranged to establish the "Labor Gazette" and he tried to secure Mr. King as the first editor, but Mr. King had just been accepted as a member of the teaching staff of Harvard University. But Harvard agreed to release him, and to hold the appointment open for him for a period of three years.

Mr. King stayed with Mr. Mulock's new department of labor. There was no formal creation of a separate department but Mr. Mulock became known as the postmaster-general and the minister of labor. He had launched on his public career a future prime minister of Canada, who became a close personal friend.

Mr. Mulock sponsored the Railway Arbitration Act of 1902, which was the forerunner of Mr. King's pioneering Industrial Disputes Investigation Act.

During the greater part of 1902 Mr. Mulock acted as minister of public works.

In 1905 Sir William retired from politics and was appointed chief justice of the exchequer division of the supreme court of Ontario, in 1923 chief justice of the second appellate division of the court, and in the same year chief justice of Ontario. During these years he delivered many important judgments, sometimes affecting intimately the lives of the people of Ontario.

Sir William was a stout advocate of the "sovereignty of parliament" and the "rule of law," that is, he disapproved of any avoidable delegation of the legislative powers of parliament or legislature to any commission or person or even to the cabinet.



This is a 1938 fishing picture of Sir William Mulock (when 96) and his faithful chauffeur, John Holden.

Making allowances for war-time and other emergencies, he should wield parliament's power to declare or alter the law.

As time went on it became evident that years did not have their usual effect upon this son of North York. His mind retained its vigor and its interest in public affairs, and his heart not only retained old friendships but ever made room for new ones. Although recognized as an elder statesman, and consulted by public leaders, he continued to live in the summertime among the people of North York, whose support and confidence gave him the opportunity to use in parliament his great abilities.

And when there were January birthday parties at his winter home in Toronto high and low, rich and poor, Liberals and Conservatives called to wish him well: He knew everybody, remembered every face, every name, and even confounded comparative strangers by resuming a conversation, at the point where it had been dropped a year or two before, about some detail of the caller's own life.

When he was 82 years old he bought two alleged trout ponds at Markdale surrounded by a 150-acre farm. The farmer who made the sale caught some trout before Sir William's eyes, and asked \$15,000 for the farm. Sir William offered \$9,000 and got it, but no trout, as it turned out the following spring. Year after year Sir William tried planting trout at Markdale and after four years met with some success. He called the farm "Holland House" and planted thousands of trees, which grew faster than the trout.

The planting of trees was always a hobby of Sir William's. The great walnut trees that stand in front of his home at Armitage he planted years ago. As the years went by greater opportunities came to indulge this patriotic fancy, and Sir William planted the great groves of walnuts at Armitage at an age when most people have retired from this world.

Ontario began to call him "grand old man." In February, 1930, the Toronto Empire club paid tribute to Sir William. On that occasion a message from Prime Minister King said: "Your adversaries are becoming your friends and the clash of tongues has softened to kindly reminiscence." Premier Howard Ferguson of Ontario spoke of Sir William's "sympathetic, kindly attitude toward those in need."

Sir William's friendships knew no political boundaries. A picture of Howard Ferguson hangs in his Toronto home as a gift from that colorful former Conservative premier. In 1932 he was happy, as chief justice of Ontario, to welcome Hon. R. B. Bennett, then prime minister of Canada, into membership in the Ontario bar.

Feeling that he would like a little more leisure, he retired as chief justice of Ontario when he had passed his 92nd birthday. Just to prove to himself that he wasn't slipping he memorized Gray's "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard" in the three or four hours that it took to motor from Armitage to Muskoka.

In November, 1942, the University of Toronto, at a public meeting, paid tribute to "the great services rendered to the university by the chancellor, the Rt. Hon. Sir William Mulock, P.C., K.C.M.G." Sir William replied in four model public speeches to addresses of the university senate, the federated colleges, the Ontario Agricultural College and the faculty of medicine which he had done so much to establish.

In January, 1943, Newmarket

SHARON

Members of the Hobby club will serve hot dogs, sandwiches, pie and coffee at Sheldon Walker's sale on Friday. The proceeds will be in aid of the overseas boxes fund.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dewsbury, Richmond Hill, were weekend guests at S. Walker's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilmut, Misses Ruth Wilmut, Jean Robertson and Mrs. L. W. Dales motored to Galt on Sunday to attend the graduation ceremony at H.M.C.S. Conestoga, Galt.

PINE ORCHARD

The east group of the Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard McClure on Wednesday, Oct. 11. Mrs. Wesley Lundy will assist the hostess.

Roll-call will be a Thanksgiving thought. A paper on Thanksgiving will be given by Mrs. Sheppard and information on UNRRA will be given by Mrs. Ross Armitage. Mrs. Howard McClure will give the history of the home of the meeting.

Miss Betty Hope, Zephyr, spent the weekend at home.

Mr. Albert Clark, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. Ray Lundy.

Pte. Douglas McCallum, Ipperwash camp, spent the weekend at home.

Pte. J. Sheppard, Long Branch, spent the weekend with his parents at Cedar Valley.

The anniversary services of the Union church were well attended on Sunday. Rev. J. A. Koffend, Newmarket, was the guest speaker at the morning service. Miss Shirley Firth, Newmarket, was soloist.

Rev. A. S. Doggett, Wilfrid, was speaker at the evening service. Mrs. Doggett was soloist.

The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and autumn foliage.

The annual rally service will be held at the church on Sunday. The church and Sunday-school will unite for the service and the Sunday-school will take charge.

H. McElwain, Newmarket, will give the address. There will be a special program given by

VETERANS ELECT OFFICERS

The Newmarket Veterans' Association held their annual meeting in the council chambers on Thursday evening. There was a good attendance.

The following officers were elected for the year 1944-45: president,

Alf. Smith; vice-pres., Jack sec-treas., Geo. Wales; sec., Wm. La Parde; executive, Ted Mitchell, S. Fred. Cass, Frank Ke Smith and Art. Daley; fund, Alex. McIntosh; Petrie.

members of Newmarket Friends Sunday-school and Union church Sunday-school scholars.

The Era and Express, open on Saturdays from 1 p.m. and 7.30 to 1 until the end of October

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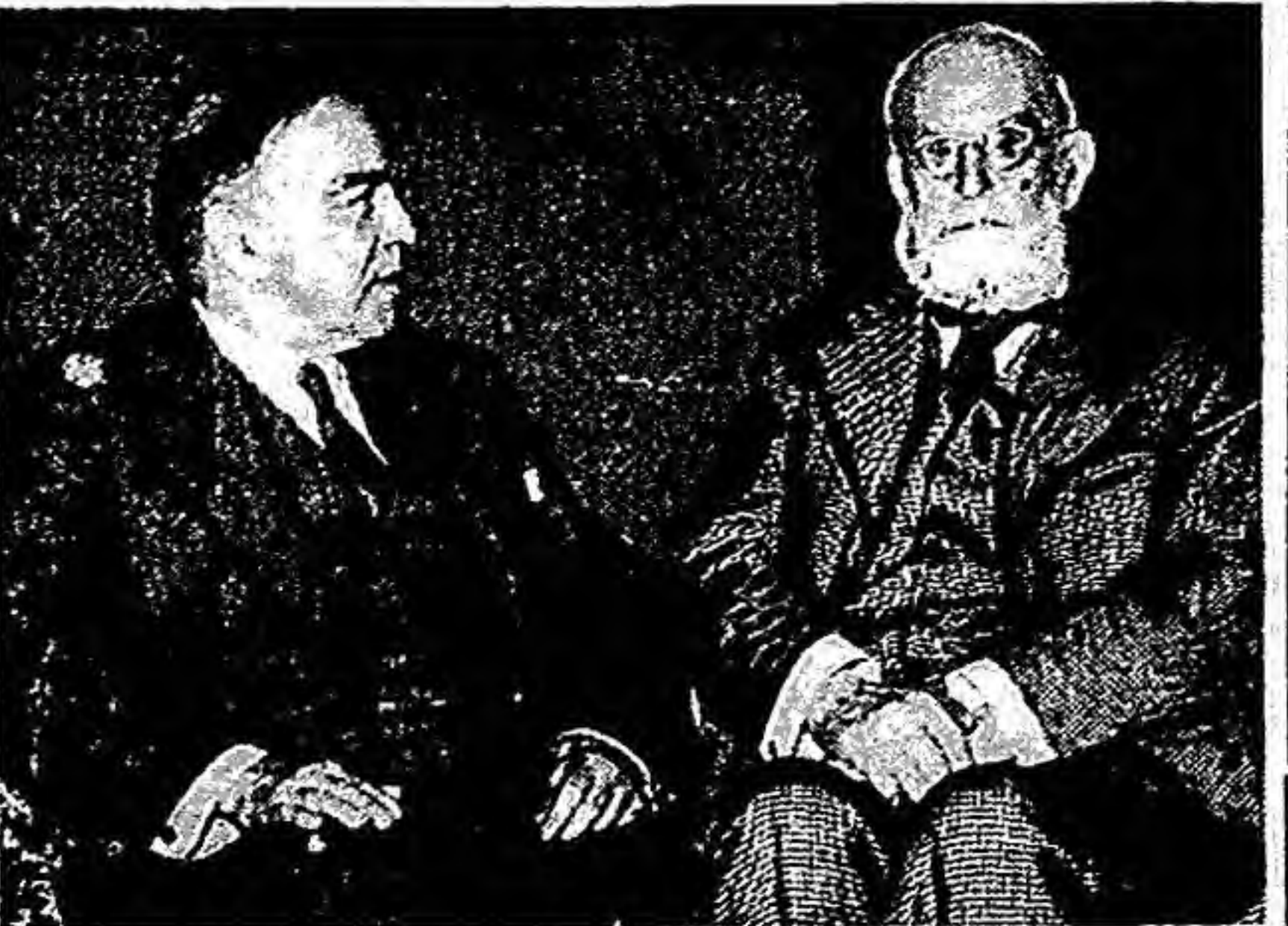


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This is a 1942 picture of Sir William Mulock and his famous protégé, Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

cerned. The question was discussed in a constructive spirit, the views of the meeting were reported to the respective governments, interest in the scheme was revived, and soon resulted in the construction of the cable between Canada and Australasia,

Labor party was just beginning to be born, and Lloyd George, Liberal radical and reformer, was not to become chancellor of the exchequer until 1908.

In 1897 Mackenzie King, now prime minister of Canada, was making post-graduate investiga-



"WAY DOWN YONDER IN THE CORNFIELD"

Here's an enterprising farmer just pointing out to his neighbour some stock he will feed and hold for a later market.

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Announcement of change in Spirits Ration

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 2nd, 1944

COMMENCING October 2nd, 1944, and until further notice, every individual permit holder will be permitted to purchase monthly one bottle of spirits (25 or 26 ounces) or two half bottles as available.

As a result of the restrictions imposed by the Dominion Government under the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order P.C.11374, it was necessary to reduce the monthly ration of spirits to 13 ounces to assure adequate supplies of spirits until the end of the year. In increasing the ration it should be explained to the public that unless the restrictions imposed by the Dominion Government are removed a similar restriction will be necessary again next year, although the Board, except for the Dominion Restriction, would be able to make available for distribution stocks of spirits in excess of the present ration.

In any event, however, the ration becoming effective on October 2nd can be maintained throughout the winter months, so it is hoped that the public will co-operate by not buying in excess of actual requirements.

LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD OF ONTARIO

Victor T. Goggin
CHIEF COMMISSIONER

OCTOBER 2, 1944

MAGISTRATE'S COURT DISORDERLY CONDUCT CHARGE BRINGS FINE

Pleading guilty in Newmarket magistrate's court on Friday to a charge of disorderly conduct, Sgt. Benny Kosloski, Aurora, was fined \$10 and costs or ten days in jail.

According to Russell Curtis, Newmarket, he had been aiding the police officer at the scene of a fatal accident on Yonge St., south of Bradford, on Sept. 20, by holding up the traffic. There were flares on either side of the accident, the witness said, when the defendant drove up in his car and bumped Sgt. Kosloski that he was at fault and that there was an accident ahead, the latter swore at him and grabbed him by the shirt, he said.

Provincial Constable William A. Melbourne testified that he had placed flares on either side of the accident to warn approaching cars to stop. As he expected heavy traffic from the Bradford side he asked Mr. Curtis to warn the approaching drivers. When Mr. Curtis reported that he was having trouble with Sgt. Kosloski he went back to speak to him. The officer said that the defendant had a rather hostile attitude and grabbed him by the belt.

"I might say that he had a little too much to drink," stated Constable Melbourne. "He was made restitution and paid the damages to the other car."

Because he permitted another person to drive a truck for which he had no commercial license, C.A. Spencer, Thornton, was fined \$10 and costs or ten days. Provincial Constable Melbourne told his worship that he had stopped Mr. Spencer's truck on No. 11 highway in Whitechurch on Sept. 16 and found the driver transporting furniture. Questioning the driver he found that he had no commercial license for the vehicle.

In his defence Mr. Spencer told Magistrate Woodliffe that he had two trucks, a Class A and a Class C. He said that his Class A truck had broken down and that as the furniture was half moved he put the rest of the goods on the Class C truck.

"In that case you should have received permission from the Motor Vehicle Branch," stated his worship. Pleading guilty to a charge of illegal possession of liquor, a 16-year-old Aurora youth was fined \$10 and costs. County Constable Ronald Watt testified that he had come across the youth and another person on Sept. 23 at Wilcox Lake with a partly consumed bottle of beer. The defendant admitted ownership.

With the consent of Constable Carl Morton his worship dismissed a charge of illegal possession of liquor against Pte. Arthur Winchester, Newmarket. Constable Morton told his worship that on Sept. 2 at six p.m. near Island Grove he came across the defendant and another soldier each sitting on a couple of cases of beer. The officer said that the defendant had an open bottle of beer in his hand. He did not lay a charge against the defendant's companion as his cases of beer were not opened, he said.

In his defence Pte. Winchester told Magistrate Woodliffe that he had purchased the beer at Sutton and hitch-hiked to Island Grove where he and his friend were waiting for the bus. They intended to take the beer home. He stated that he had dropped one of the cases and a number of the bottles had been broken. He threw these away as there was glass mixed with their contents. He had one of the bottles in his hand when the police officer came by.

"Just a couple of smart alecs," commented Magistrate Woodliffe when handing down a fine of \$10 and costs or ten days each to Walter Kay, Jackson's Point, and Robert Saunders, Willow Beach, whom he found guilty on a charge of taking a car without the owner's consent. Both defendants pleaded not guilty to the joint charge.

William Morton, Jackson's Point, explained to his worship that on Sept. 18 he had given the two de-

STEPPERS SIT IT OUT!



No wonder these lively steppers from Step Lively sit it out — on the steps — since the action is fast and furious and never stops for a minute in the big screen musical based on the renowned stage hit, "Room Service." Musical numbers follow in rapid succession and bewildering stage ensembles add to the entrancing effects of the whole. The six-star cast is headed by Frank Sinatra and George Murphy, with Gloria De Haven as leading lady. Song hits abound with Sinatra singing four. The picture plays Monday and Tuesday at the Strand theatre with a matinee on Monday afternoon at 2.15.

endants a ride in his car to Lake Simcoe. After stopping his car to go into a grocery store to get a basket of tomatoes and when he came out the car was gone. He waited about 20 minutes to see if they would return. When they didn't he became anxious and notified the police. The witness stated that he knew the two men and did not think that they intended to steal the car.

County Constable William Hill told his worship he investigated the disappearance of the Morton car on the evening of Sept. 18 and he located the two accused men in the stalled car on the county road outside the village of Sutton. He stated that Mr. Saunders was behind the wheel.

"They stated that Mr. Morton had given them permission to take the car to Sutton to get some beer," stated the police officer. "They had been drinking."

Questioned by Crown Attorney Arleigh Armstrong as to the amount of damages to the car, the witness stated that a front headlight and the starter had been broken. He added that when he questioned Mr. Morton the latter denied giving the defendants permission to take the car.

Falling to appear in court to answer charges of stealing a blanket, two pillows, two pillow-cases, three jugs and a mirror from Mrs. Swanson, Schomberg Junction. Magistrate Woodliffe ordered a warrant issued for the arrest of John Charles Harvey, Boon Ave., Toronto, and Gordon McNeice, Montrose Ave., Toronto. The accused men are out on \$300 bail.

His worship fined two Toronto motorists who exceeded the speed limit in Aurora \$15 and costs each. They were: John Edward Gillis and Max Rapaport. Chief Constable Fisher Dunham laid the charges.

For exceeding the speed limit in Georgina township, Ross B. Stuart, Toronto, was fined \$18 and costs and Lorne H. McIntyre was fined \$15 and costs. Constable George Foster laid the charges.

For exceeding the speed limit in North Gwillimbury, Howard Wood, Toronto, was fined \$10 and costs. Constable Alex. McCallum laid the charge.

POTTAGEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Paton, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bunn and family, Newmarket, called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton, on Sunday.

Miss Doreen Funnell spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Funnell.

Mrs. Chas. Archibald and Margaret Williamson, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Archibald's brother-in-law, Mr. Walter Archibald.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilder and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Wilder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Groombridge.

Miss Margaret Rose, Pottageville, and Miss Erna Givens, Schomberg, have accepted positions in Thistle-town hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Springdale, spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Archibald.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Houghton and Mr. and Mrs. George West and daughters spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Houghton and family of Cookstown.

Miss Hattie Cutting, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother.

KETTLEBY

Mrs. E. Barradell, Mrs. C. Black and Miss Laura Black were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Hencock and family and Mrs. E. Brodie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Hencock.

Miss Jean Curtis, Aurora, spent the weekend at her home.

Pte. James Cull, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bontly and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leonard, Schomberg, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Martin, Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hogart spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Jarvis, Victoria, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Louton, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. H. Louton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moffat, Lloydown, and Mr. and Mrs. Blinley Barradell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sloan.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Webster and Betty spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Geer and family.

The Immanuel Baptist church Thanksgiving services will be held Sunday, Oct. 8, at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Dr. Sheut, Toronto, president of the Baptist Home Mission Board, will be the guest speaker.

The Y.P.U. held a shower on Wednesday evening at the United church hall in honor of Miss Irene Billings, a bride-to-be.

LOCAL MARKETS

Large eggs were 42 cents, medium eggs 40 cents and small eggs 38 cents a dozen on the local market on Saturday morning. Butter was 40 cents a pound. Hens were 30 cents a pound.

Crabapples were 25 cents, wealthies 25 cents, hand-picked 35 cents, onions 40 cents, and pears 50 cents, 60 cents and 70 cents a six-quart basket, according to quality. Carrots were five cents a bunch and 25 cents a six-quart basket. Potatoes were 30 cents a six-quart basket.

Corn was 25 cents a dozen. Cabbages were five cents, turnips five cents, watermelons 10 cents, muskmelons five cents and pepper squash five cents each. Peppers were two for five cents.

Flowers were 15 cents and 25 cents a bouquet.

TORONTO MARKETS

Butter, creamy solids No. 1, was 35 cents a pound on the Toronto markets on Tuesday. Creamery prints, first grade, were 36½ cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, on a cases free, delivered to Toronto basis, as follows: grade A large, 38 cents a dozen; A medium, 35 to 36 cents; and A pullets, 27 cents.

Nominal prices of poultry to the shipper were: spring broilers, 2 to 2½ pounds, 28 cents a pound; fowl, over 5 pounds, 24 cents a pound; chickens, over 5 pounds, 29 cents a pound.

Cattle trade was almost at a standstill this week. During trade weekly steers were \$10 to \$11.25; butcher steers and heif-

W.I. PLANS PACKING OF OVERSEAS BOXES

The Women's Institute met at Miss Young's home for the first meeting of the season. Arrangements were made for the packing of boxes for overseas early in October. Two guests were present, Mrs. Naismith of Simcoe and Miss Withers of Toronto. Mrs. Bunn read the current events. A paper, The History of Newmarket, which carried many of the members back to days of yore, was read by Mrs. Judd Cole. Mrs. Bunn conducted an interesting contest. Mrs. Cole received the prize. Lunch was served by Miss Young and Mrs. Bunn.

Mrs. F. Sherman and daughter, Mrs. Victor Bridges, have returned home after a holiday which was spent motoring in the Muskoka district.

Recent guests at Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Cole's were Mr. and Mrs. A. Pugh, Allendale, Miss L. Withers, Mrs. J. A. Ferries and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cole and family of Toronto.

ers \$8 to \$10, with tops at \$10.50; a few cows \$7 to \$8.75; bulls \$6 to \$8; stockers slow, \$6.50 to \$9.50.

Lambs were dull and steady, calves, hogs and sheep steady.

A few good ewe and wether lambs were \$12 to \$12.50 with bucks \$11 to \$11.50 and culls \$7 to \$8.

Choice veal calves were \$14 to \$15, with common downward to \$7 and grass calves slow at \$5.50.

CANADA'S VETERANS Their Post-War Opportunities

This is the first of a series of advertisements to inform the people of Canada of plans to re-establish men and women of the armed forces. To get the full details save and read every advertisement.

The Future After Discharge — A MESSAGE TO RELATIVES OF THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES

When your boys and your girls come home, when they lay aside the uniform, when they go out into the world as normal peace-loving Canadians, what lies ahead? Can they pick up their lives as civilians, where they laid them down, months or long years ago? Are there plans to help them do the things they wanted to do before the war? Will they have security? Can they continue education, or receive needed training? Will they be assisted in home owning, or to establish their own business, and will they be enabled to pick up their family life once again?

These are questions which concern all those Canadians who have loved ones in the services. They are questions which this series of advertisements is designed to answer.

OPPORTUNITY IS THE OBJECTIVE

Canada has been making plans for your boy's and your girl's return to civilian life since early in 1940. These plans are in effect and operating now. The aim is that every person who has served shall have opportunity. Thousands, already back in civilian life, have benefitted by training, by maintenance grants, by advice of departmental officials, and by the social security provisions. There is ample help for those men and women who want to help themselves.

ASSISTANCE ON DISCHARGE

When your boys and girls are discharged from the services, they will be given:

1. A clothing allowance of \$100.00 (if discharged after August 1, 1944).
2. Their pay to date of discharge.
3. One month's additional pay, if they have 183 days' continuous service, as a rehabilitation grant.
4. A railway warrant home or to the place of enlistment.

Dependents will receive:

1. Their normal dependents' allowance to date of discharge, with assigned pay.
2. An additional month's dependents' allowance, with assigned pay, if there has been 183 days' continuous service.

Your boy or girl will be allowed to retain certain items of uniform. They will be given a complete medical and dental examination and will be eligible for free needed treatment for a year after discharge. Those discharged not physically fit, in need of continuing treatment and unable to work, will have their pay and allowances of rank continued for at least a year if necessary and, if the disability is pensionable, for as long as curative treatment is beneficial. All are interviewed by Veterans' Welfare Officers and told of the re-establishment programme.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

On discharge, those enlisted to serve outside Canada, or those who served in the Aleutian Islands, are eligible for a war service gratuity. It provides \$7.50 for each thirty days' service in Canada and the Western Hemisphere and \$15.00 for each thirty days' service overseas or in the Aleutian Islands. For those with overseas service or with service in the Aleutian Islands, there is an additional seven days' pay and allowances for each six months of such service. Payments will be made at the end of each month in the months following discharge. Complete details of the war service gratuity will be given in a later advertisement.

RE-ESTABLISHMENT CREDIT

In addition to the war service gratuity, there is a re-establishment credit of \$7.50 for each thirty days' service in the Western Hemisphere and \$15.00 for each thirty days' service overseas. This is for things such as the purchase or repair of a home, the buying of furniture, a business, or government life insurance, and for certain other purposes which will assist your boy or your girl in becoming re-established. This credit, which is reduced by grants given for training or education, or under the Veterans' Land Act, is primarily for those who do not wish assistance under these three plans.

RETURN TO FORMER JOBS

If your boy or girl held a civilian position before enlisting, and was not engaged to replace somebody already in the forces, and if the position still exists, and your boy or girl is capable of filling it, it is the employer's duty, under the law of Canada, to reinstate him or her in that position with seniority. Application for reinstatement must be made to the former employer within three months of discharge from the forces or from hospital.

Veterans' Welfare Officers are stationed in key centres throughout Canada. They are the friends of Ex-Service men and women. It is their duty to advise and assist all Ex-Service personnel with their re-establishment problems. If there is anything about the Rehabilitation programme which you do not understand, consult your nearest Veterans' Welfare Officer.

TRAINING AND EDUCATION

The surest way to permanent employment—the thing your boy or girl will want—is a skill to get and to hold a job. Canada's plans give opportunity to acquire needed skill either at university or in preparation for a business or industrial career. Fees are paid by the state, along with living allowances, while training or continuing education.

WHILE ILL OR UNEMPLOYED

There is protection against illness or unemployment by maintenance allowances which can be drawn against in the first eighteen months after discharge. There is also protection under the Unemployment Insurance Act for those who enter insured employment and remain in it fifteen weeks.

HOME OWNING AND FARMING

There is provision to assist city and other workers to have homes of their own, either on small acreages of land outside the high taxation area, or in town, under the National Housing Act. Full-time farmers can be given financial assistance in full-time farming, while commercial fishermen may secure financial help in getting their own homes, on small acreages of land, and in buying needed fishing equipment.

FREE TREATMENT

In the year following discharge, service men and women are eligible for free treatment, hospitalization and allowances for any condition, even if not the result of service. Pensioners are entitled to this for life for their pensioned disability.

THE POLICY ON PENSIONS

Canada's Pension Act is administered by an independent commission, all former members of the services. Any permanent disability suffered overseas, not a result of misconduct, is pensionable. Where service is in Canada only, the disability must be a result of service.

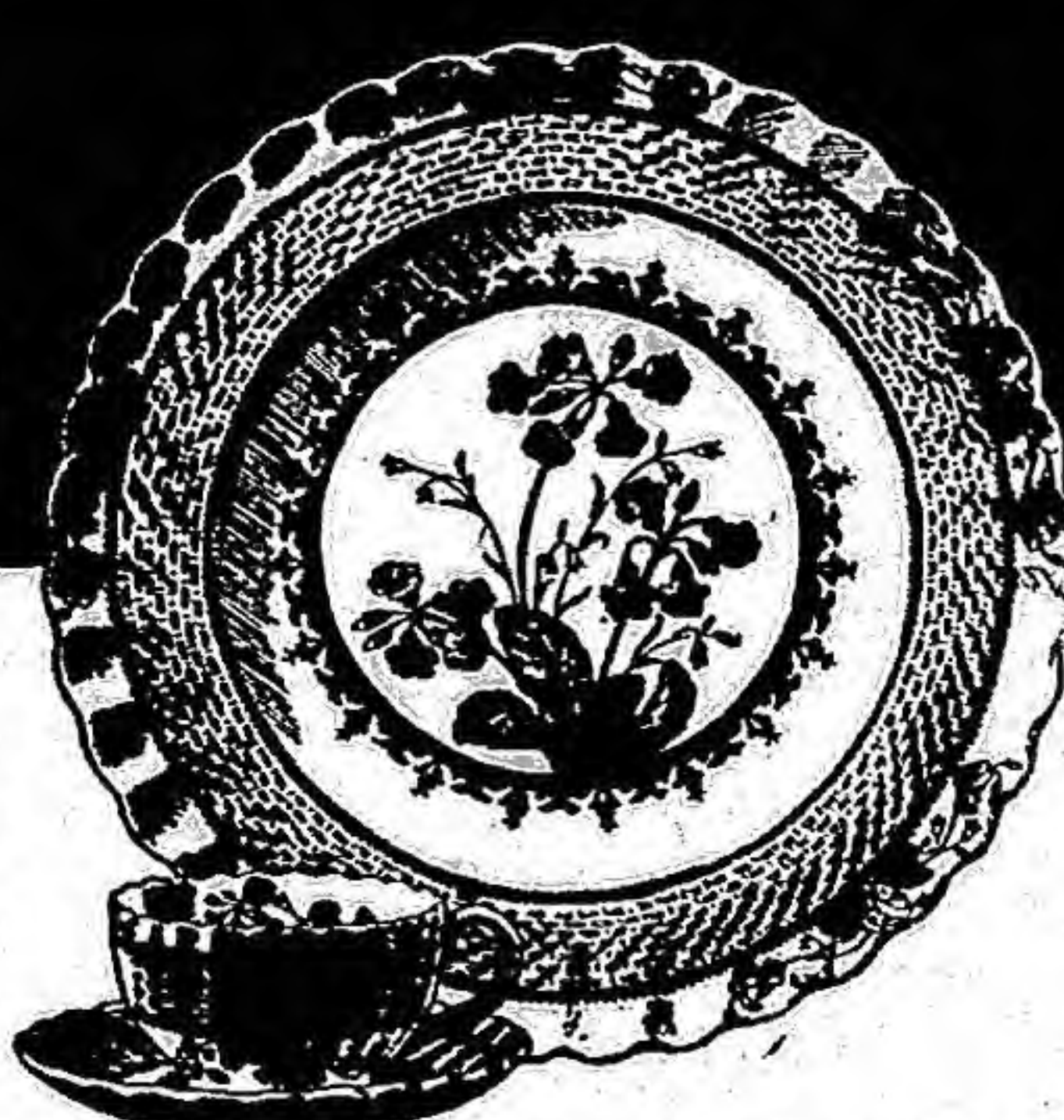
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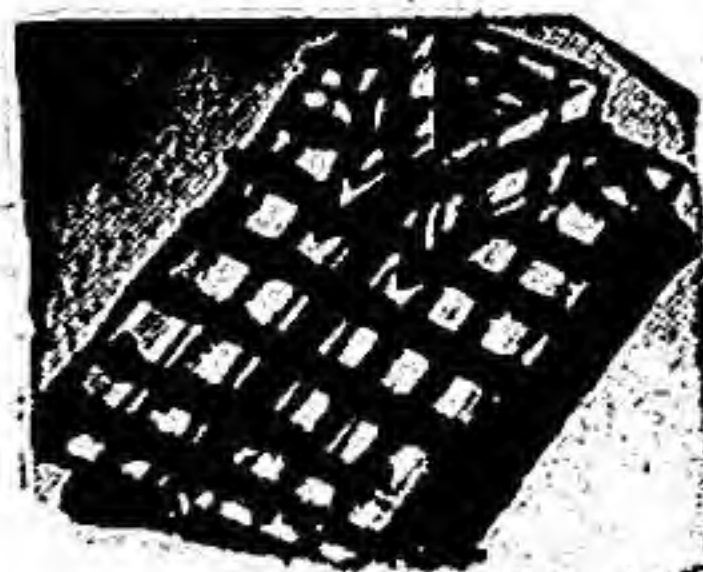
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CLASSIFIEDS - PHONE 780

Sullivan's Are Coming To Town Next Week

Twenty-one contestants sent in correct sets of answers to last week's contest. There were a number of incorrect answers. The non-winning correct answers have been credited.

The winners of last week's contest are Marion Rose, Mrs. H. J. Lowe, Miss I. Malcolm and Mrs. Arthur Brice, all of Newmarket, and Mrs. A. Hare, Holland Landing. They will be given double passes to the Strand theatre.

The winners may see Step Lively with Frank Sinatra, George Murphy and Gloria DeHaven and Falcon Out West with Tom Conway and Barbara Hale on Tuesday, Oct. 10, or Meet the People starring Lucille Ball, Dick Powell and Virginia O'Brien and Great Guy on Thursday, Oct. 11.

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

The winners of this week's contest may see Anne Baxter, Trudy Marshall and Thomas Mitchell in The Sullivan's and Spotlight Scandals on Tuesday, Oct. 17, or Four Jills in a Jeep starring Kay Francis, Carole Landis and Martha Raye and The Navy Way with Robert Lowery and Jean Parker on Thursday, Oct. 19.

Answers must reach The Era and Express office by 9:30 Tuesday morning. Only one entry will be accepted from any one household or family. Entries must be in the contestant's own handwriting. Contestants are asked to send their entries in on a slip of paper four and a half inches by two and a half inches (4 1/2" x 2 1/2").

This week's ten classified words have been scrambled. Here they are: CTATMOIAU, BREETI, GHTNUOS, UPFISSE, EBUBER, PRZIEP, TTRIHAS, KECOD, TIMEFR, ZEAUHLD, VOR.

SALE REGISTERS

Friday, Oct. 6—Public auction sale of high grade dairy herd, 60 percent vaccinated. Milking machine. Case tractor on rubber and tractor equipment, the property of Sheldon Walker, rear of lot 2, con. 3, East Gwillimbury, 2 miles east of Newmarket. Sale at 1 p.m. sharp. Terms cash. J. F. Kavanagh, Queensville, auctioneer. c3w34

Saturday, Oct. 7—Auction sale of truck, cattle, pigs, implements, fuel wood, hay, grain and roots, the property of Ed. Blizard, north side of Eagle St. at stop light, Newmarket. Sale at 1 p.m. sharp. Terms cash. F. N. Smith, auctioneer. c2w35

Tuesday, Oct. 10—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., belonging to the estate of David Wright, lot 3, con. 5, North Gwillimbury, one half mile north of Ravenshoe. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer, phone Queensville 105. c2w35

Wednesday, Oct. 11—The under-signed has received instructions from Edmund Walker, lot 9, con. 9, West Gwillimbury, two miles west of No. 11 highway, to sell his entire farm stock and implements, including 10-20 International tractor and equipment, valuable herd of Holstein cattle, of which several are about to freshen. L. M. Rutledge, auctioneer. c2w35

Thursday, Oct. 12—Auction sale of Holstein and Durham cattle, horses, sheep, swine, poultry, hay, grain, farm implements and tractor equipment, the property of Ben Tomlinson, lot 9, con. 10, Brock township, one mile south and one mile west of Derryville. Sale at 12:30 Terms cash. No reserve as owner is giving up farming. J. E. McDonald, auctioneer. c2w35

Saturday, Oct. 14—Auction sale of cattle, pig, sheep, pigs, etc., the property of Fred M. Jones, east half of lot 3, con. 1, Georgina Twp., 1 mile east of Brownhill. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. No reserve. Frank Kavanagh, phone 105, Queensville, auctioneer. c2w36

Monday, Oct. 16—Auction sale of Auto-trac, tractor equipment, farm machinery, horses, cattle, swine, hay, grain and feed, the property of Albert Timms, lots 32 and 33, con. 1, Scott, about half a mile south of Brownhill. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. Stanley Miller, auctioneer. c2w36

Tuesday, Oct. 17—Auction sale of horses, cattle, swine, sheep, hay, grain, farm implements and some household furniture, the property of Ernest E. Sedore, lot 1, con. 2, Georgina, one mile south of Brownhill. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. Stanley Miller, auctioneer. c2w36

Wednesday, Oct. 18—Auction sale of farm stock and implements and household furniture at lot 28, con. 9, Whitchurch, the property of Wilfred Lazenby. Sale starts at 1 p.m. Terms cash. A. B. Farmer, auctioneer. Lloyd Turner, clerk. c2w36

Thursday, Oct. 19—Auction sale of farm stock and implements, the property of E. Lunney, Kewick, lots 14 and 15, con. 3, North Gwillimbury, first farm north of Kewick on highway. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp. Terms cash. Stanley Miller, Zephyr, auctioneer. c2w36

Thursday, Oct. 20—Auction sale of horses, cattle, swine, poultry, hay, grain and farm implements, the property of Alvin E. York, lot 25, con. 4, East Gwillimbury, one mile south of Ravenshoe. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. Stanley Miller, auctioneer. c2w36

WANT-ADS

The rate for "classifieds" is 50 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 65 cents for two insertions; 75 cents for three insertions. For every 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent; additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion. Deduct 25 cents for payment within a week. Ten cents for the use of a box number; ten cents for mailing replica.

FARM FOR SALE

For sale—96-acre farm. On county road. Gravel pit. Lot 3, con. 8, North Gwillimbury. For quick sale. Apply Mrs. Mary Morton, Keswick. c3w34

For sale—Farm. 100 acres of good clay loam land, 11 acres hardwood bush, modern bank barn, 40'x70', straw shed, 30'x40', and good hog-pen. House, 8 rooms, modern type in first class condition. Hydro installed in all buildings. 1 1/2 miles from the village of Queensville, 1 1/2 miles from school, 3 1/2 miles from Toronto. Apply P.O. box 6, Queensville. c4w36

For sale—Farm. To close an estate. 100 acres clay loam, excellent grain land. Five acres hardwood bush. Bank barn and hog-pen, frame house. On paved highway, half mile south of village of Queensville, 3 miles north of Toronto. Apply J. L. Smith, Queensville. c4w36

For sale—96-acre farm. Good buildings, hydro, 2 wells, good bush. Lot 31, con. 6, Whitchurch township. Apply Chas. H. Rose, Newmarket. c3w36

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—50 acres. North-east corner lot 2, concession 4, North Gwillimbury. Spring. 12 acres mixed wood, good pasture. Apply W. C. Abbs, Ravenshoe, or C. S. J. Whitney, notary public, Sault Ste. Marie. c3w34

For sale—50 acres of pasture land. Situated on part of lots 3 and 4 in the rear of the fourth con., township of North Gwillimbury. This property has an unfailing supply of good water. William Merritt, Keswick, phone Roche's Point 91313. c2w36

For sale—Electric seal coat, perfect condition. Phone Newmarket 107. c2w36

For sale—Brown fox fur. Good condition. Ukelele and case. Enquire 37 Timothy St. W. or write post office box 341, Newmarket. c3w35

For sale—Pipe fittings, brass valves, belting, emery grinders, rollers, tubes, saws, mandrels, pulleys, boxes, shafting, gears, sprockets, wheels, other machinery and repairs. W. E. Rutledge, Newmarket. c4w35

For sale—Findlay range with water front. 450. Three boys' overcoats, sizes 11, 12 and 16. 28 Joseph St., Newmarket. c2w36

For sale—Gerhard Heintzman piano. Child's cream enamel commode chair. Cream enamel picket fence and gate suitable for store window. Phone Newmarket 142. c3w36

For sale—Man's blue winter overcoat, size 40. Man's brown fall coat, size 38. Girl's grey winter coat, size 16. Girl's fall coat, size 12. Phone Queensville 408. c1w36

For sale—One double-barrel shotgun, 16 gauge. A1 condition. One double-barrel shotgun, 10 gauge. Fair condition. One pair waders. Aurora P.O. box 413, phone Aurora 8642. c3w36

For sale—Boy's winter overcoat, navy blue, red flannel lining, 6-7 years. Also one pair girl's shoes, size 9 1/2, good as new. Apply 43 Andrew St., Newmarket. c2w36

For sale—Boy's winter overcoat, size 12-14. Apply 23 Simcoe St., Newmarket. c1w36

For sale—One wooden crib. Cream. Metal spring. In good condition. Phone Newmarket 631. c1w36

For sale—One coat heater. Crown Treadwell. H. Harrison, con. 3, lot 27, Markham. c1w36

For sale—Boy's C.C.M. bicycle in new condition. Phone Newmarket 228. c1w36

For sale—Learmonth Sportsman automatic shotgun. 12 gauge. Like new. Apply 73 Gorham St., Newmarket. c2w36

For sale—Fox terrier puppies. Man's bicycle. Apply Wilmet Hill, 17 Huron St. W., Newmarket. c1w36

For sale—Cookstove. Large. Modern design. Used about two years. Apply 13 Lincoln St. E., Newmarket. c1w36

For sale—Quebec cookstove. Sink and drainboard. Man's fur-lined coat. Apply 43 Millard Ave., Newmarket. c1w36

For sale—Electric stove. National. Four-burner. Oven and warming closet. Apply 16 Niagara St., Newmarket. c1w36

For sale—McClary cookstove. Practically new. Make an offer. Apply Howard Perrin, Gorham St., Newmarket. c1w36

MERCHANDISE

For sale—Gloves. Treat-em-rough work gloves. Kangaroo, horsehide, muleskin, cowhide and cotton jersey. Insley's surely have an excellent selection correctly priced. c1w35

For sale—Windbreakers. At Insley's. Pony, horsehide, suede, pigtex, gabardine, sharkskin, mackinaw and melton. \$1.99 to \$14.98. Boys' \$2.50 to \$11.95. c1w35

SNOW-SUITS

For sale—At Insley's. Choice two-piece or three-piece. Warmly lined. Ages 3 to 6. c1w36

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Next week is hat week at Insley's. Check your old hat. Give the old head a treat and spruce up with the new Tan Bark shade. Better quality hat. c1w36

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Small children's sweaters. Pure virgin wool, zipper neck, 5 to 10 yrs. \$2.25 at Insley's. c1w36

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For sale—At Insley's. Men's odd suiting vests, size 36 only, suitable for small size men. Act quickly. No other sizes available. c1w36

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Two only. Suits 422 pure virgin wool. Turnbull's Ceelee combination underwear, size 40's. Ideal for men troubled with arthritis or rheumatism. c1w36

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Men's and boys' breeches available at Insley's. Be sure your boys are prepared for colder days ahead. Why let Junior have colds? c1w36

ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Old interesting buttons or button-strings. Glass paper weights, colored glass covers and small china boxes, china figures. Esther King, 30 Yonge St. N., Aurora. c3w34

Wanted to buy—Immediately. Fancy iron bedstead, single or three-quarter size. Write Era and Express box 876. c1w36

Wanted to buy—Piano, in good condition, preferably small or medium size. Write post office box 561, Newmarket. c1w36

Wanted to buy—Quebec heater. Apply 33 Prospect St. or phone Newmarket 681. c1w36

USED CARS FOR SALE

For sale—35 Ford panel truck, half-ton. Motor overhauled. Tires like new. Serial No. C182948. \$425. Nick Styke, Sharon, corner of townline and fifth. c1w36

For sale—1930 Ford, model A, serial No. E1844. Five good tires. Engine good. \$135. Stanley Miller, Zephyr, phone 1829 Mount Albert. c1w36

For sale—1928 Pontiac. Serial No. 97373. Five good tires. \$125. Apply Ken. Tansley, 13 Simcoe St. E., Newmarket. c1w36

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Wanted to buy—For cash. Good used cars, any make, any model. Phone 777 Newmarket. c1w36

HELP WANTED

FEMALE

Two maids wanted for boys' boarding school near Aurora. Live in, good accommodation. Apply Employment and Selective Service office, Newmarket. c1w36

WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Position as housekeeper. Adults preferred. Evenings free. Sleep in. Write Era and Express box 877. c1w36

LOST

Lost—Wallet, near Newmarket, containing money, driver's permit, registration card. Reward. Ronald Wilkes, Zephyr. c1w36

STRAYED

Strayed—From lot 4, con. 4, East Gwillimbury, through a line fence towards the third. Four brown dogs, Yorkshire. Also one six-month-old heifer calf from lot 3, con. 8, East Gwillimbury. If found please notify Albert Linstead, Sharon, R. R. 2. c1w36

FARM ITEMS

For sale—One 750-lb. DeLaval separator (electric), also a Homan milking machine, complete with single unit, slightly used. Fordson tractor. Apply J. N. Minton, 704 Bloor St. W., Toronto. c4w33

For sale—Three grade Holstein heifers, one purebred Holstein heifer, 18 months old. One Holstein heifer, three years old. These heifers are vaccinated. Number of yearling heifer. H. Harrison, con. 3, lot 27, Markham. c1w36

For sale—Horse for light work. Cow in calf. Heifer 1 1/2 years old. Fan-tail pigeons, homers and rollers. Jameway brooder stove, nearly new. Write Era and Express box 878. c1w36

IMPLEMENTS

For sale—One two-furrow Kid Kangaroo plow. Good as new. Phone Queensville 713. c1w36

For sale—Farm-all tractor, on rubber, one Hammer mill. Also milking machines. G. W. Allison, Mount Albert, phone 6100. c1w36

LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—Red and white cow, 7 years old. Good milker. Due to freshen in April. Also number of

grade, two-year-old heifers, due at same time. Apply D. W. Evans, Bogartown. c1w36

For sale—Eight little pigs. Apply John Walker, Mount Albert, phone Mount Albert 1411. c1w36

For sale—Shearling Oxford ram, registered. Grade ram, grade bull calf, 10 months old, in good condition. T. C. Wray, R. R. 2 Newmarket. c3w34

For sale—Two Don Mor Yorkshire boars ready for service. Dam qualified with a score of 92 points. Third highest in province. Full brothers to test pigs. Price \$50 each. Registered. One good Yorkshire sow, bred in July to first prize boar at Simcoe breeders' sale in June. Price \$65. Registered. Four purebred Suffolk ram lambs. Price \$20 each. Eligible to register. Geo. Percy Don, R. R. 2, Newmarket, phone 2024. c3w34

For sale—Jersey cows. Fresh and springers. Yearling heifers. Vaccinated baby calves. Registered. T.B. accredited and blood-tested. O. M. Heacock, Kettleby, phone Aurora 3422. c2w36

For sale—One cheap work mare. 12 years old, good in all harness. E. Dennis, Newmarket. c3w36

For sale—Ten pigs, six weeks old. Two fresh cows, Durham and three-quarter Jersey. Nick Styke, Sharon, corner townline and fifth. c1w36

POULTRY FOR SALE

For sale—Spring chickens, six to seven pounds. Apply Leo Ross, phone 564, Newmarket. c3w35

For sale—175 New Hampshire pullets, four months old. Apply W. H. Curtis, rear 152 Main St., Newmarket. c1w35

For sale—Yearling Leghorn hens. These hens have moulted. Apply Herb. Cronsberry, Sutton. c2w36

POULTRY WANTED

Wanted to buy—All kinds of live poultry. Premium paid above market prices. Will call. Phone Newmarket 657. c1w36

MISCELLANEOUS

For sale—Tulip bulbs. Best grade. Cheap. Apply L. P. Cane, Huron St., Newmarket. c3w34

Slender tablets are effective. 2 weeks' supply, \$1. 12 weeks', \$5. At Bell's Drug Store, Newmarket. c2w33

Wanted—Dead horses and cattle, for free pick-up. Phone Newmarket 79. We pay phone charges. Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto. Phone AD. 3638. c1w36

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Feathers and feather beds of all descriptions. Highest prices paid. Write particulars to Queen City Feather Co., 23 Baldwin St., Toronto 2B. c1w35

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For rent—Hospital beds and wheel chairs. Theaker & Son, Mount Albert, or phone Mount Albert 3503. c1w36

Wanted to buy—Fox feed. Old horses, dead horses, feed cows. We pay for the dead animals if they are fit for our use. Advise immediately as dead stock soon spoils. C. B. Thompson, Holland Landing, phone 5131, Newmarket. c1w36

For sale—Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hosiery, for those who suffer from varicose veins, ankles and knee troubles. Arch supports. Lumbago belts. Best's Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. c1w36

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CAR, TRUCK AND TRACTOR PARTS

For sale—New and used car, truck and tractor parts. Apply Goodman Auto Wreckers, Newmarket. c1w36

Notice—Frank Wasley will be at the Daily World, side-road between Yonge and Second Streets, in about two weeks. All farmers in need of lumber are advised to get their logs ready. M. Daly Hopkins, R. R. 2, Newmarket. c3w35

Fortify yourself against colds. Take one Page-Griffiths Unifox tablet daily containing vitamins A, B, C and D and all necessary minerals. c1w36

DO YOU NEED MONEY?

If so, you should consult R. D. Brown, manager of the Bank of Montreal. To people in all walks of life, the bank is making loans, repayable in twelve monthly instalments, at the low cost of \$5.10 per hundred—equal to 5 percent per annum. There are no other charges. c1w31

WOOD FOR SALE

For sale—Wood, Mixed soft. Delivered. Phone Mount Albert 8002. c4w36

CHURCHES

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8TH

NEWMARKET GOSPEL TABERNACLE
Associated Gospel Churches of Canada
12 Millard Ave.
Pastor: Rev. L. R. Coupland
9:50 a.m.—Sunday-school
11 a.m.—"SUCCESSION FISHING"
7 p.m.—"A DESPERATE MAN AND A FRIEND IN NEED"
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Don't miss either of these great services

ST. PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
Pastor: Rev. G. H. JOHNSON, M.A., D.D.
8:30 a.m.—Holy communion
11 a.m.—Morning prayer and sermon
2:30 p.m.—Sunday-school
7 p.m.—Evangelism and sermon. The preacher for the day will be the Rev. F. W. Pooley, B.A., rector of the Parish of Omeme.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Minister: W. I. McELWAIN
Thanksgiving Sunday
11 a.m.—"WHAT SHALL I RENDER UNTO THE LORD?"
2:30 p.m.—Sunday-school
7 p.m.—"BLESS THE LORD"
The minister at both services Joyous hymns of praise and thanksgiving led by the choir
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In Memoriam

Crowder—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Minora Rutledge Crowder, who departed this life Oct. 3, 1942.
Sweet memories will linger forever. Time cannot change them, it's true.
Years that may come cannot sever Our loving remembrance of you.
Lovingly remembered by her husband, Iva and Glendyne.

Firth—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Mrs. Dan Firth, who passed away Oct. 5, 1939.
Five years have passed and gone Since we loved so well
Was taken from our home on earth With Jesus Christ to dwell.
The flowers we place upon her grave May wither and decay,
But the love for her who sleeps beneath Shall never fade away.
Sadly missed by husband and family.

Haskett—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, George Haskett, who passed away Oct. 4, 1939.
Sadly missed by his wife and family.

Jones—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Robert William Jones, who passed away Oct. 5, 1939.
Deep in our hearts a memory is kept Of the dear one we loved and will never forget.
Whatever else we fail to do We'll never fail to think of you.
Though his smile has gone forever And his voice we cannot hear We shall never lose sweet memories Of the one we loved so dear.
Always lovingly remembered by his wife, Clara, and children, Bob, Percy, Bill, Ivy, Lillian and May.

For sale—Wood. Mixed, 4 ft. lengths, body wood, ironwood, ash, beech. Limbs, elm, birch. \$14 per cord, delivered. M. Daly Hopkins, R. R. 2, Newmarket. c3w35

For sale—Hardwood and cedar kindling. Cut in stove lengths. Delivered. Apply Garret Fairbairn, Sharon, or phone Queensville 1709. c1w36

For sale—Two collie pups, female, three months old. Apply Blacksmith shop, Vandonr. c2w36

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REMEMBERS BOYS

The Aurora fire brigade is busy packing overseas Christmas boxes and next week expect to ship a well assorted box to every Aurora boy serving overseas.

WITH THE FORCES

Petty Officer Donald Hamilton, R.C.N.V.R., St. Hyacinthe, Que., spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Donald Hamilton.

Douglas Fisher, R.C.A.F., Mount Pleasant, P.E.I., is on leave with his father, Councillor A. N. Fisher.

Pte. Maurice ("Duke") Dodd, Brantford, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dodd.

Pte. Lorne Reed, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, Oak Ridge.

LAC Bill Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Thompson, has returned to duty after spending a furlough with his parents.

Mrs. Arthur Egan recently received a letter from her son, Radio Officer Charles Egan, merchant marine, stating that he had been in India.

O.S. James Rowe, H.M.C.S. York, Toronto, spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Bert Rowe.

Pte. Eric Bilbrough spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bilbrough.

Pte. Howard Pattenden, Hamilton, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Pattenden.

Bruce Clark of Whitechurch township graduated today as a pilot officer in the R.C.A.F. at Montreal. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark, were present for the occasion.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. Jock Mackay, Toronto, has returned home after spending two weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Williamson.

Mrs. Howard Oliver, Spruce St., is confined to the hospital following an operation. Her condition is reported as favorable.

Miss Gail Knowles, Toronto, spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Rose Cockrill, and her sister, Miss Esther Knowles.

LAC Stan Humphries, Camp Borden, and Mrs. Humphries, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson and Mrs. Stanley Allen.

A wedding of interest to Aurorans took place at Pugwash, N.S., today, when Dr. Alison E. Noble of Long Branch, Ont., was married to Miss Alberta Bernice Scott of Pugwash. Dr. Noble is a former Aurora boy, and a graduate of Aurora high school.

Mrs. George Baldwin and Miss Catharine Andrews are spending a week at Cobourg with Mr. and Mrs. George Hacking.

Miss Anne Summers has accepted a position in the office at the Aurora R.C.O.C. depot.

Mrs. Jessie Sloss, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hurst.

Mr. Clarence Grimshaw, Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Thomas Grimshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Pugsley, Harrison Ave., moved to Lansing this week.

Miss Alda Carr has returned home after spending nearly three months in western Canada. Her mother accompanied her on the trip.

Wren Joan Sellers, H.M.C.S. York, Toronto, has returned to duty after spending leave at Lethbridge, Alta., and visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dodson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Conroy have taken up residence at Williamsford, Ont.

Ex-Mayor J. M. Walton, Mr. L. C. Lee, Mrs. James Whitmer, Mr. John Bowser and Mrs. Charles Webster were among Aurora citizens who paid their respects to the late Sir William Mulock.

Mr. Jim Bryan, who has been employed with a construction company in northern Ontario, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bryan.

Miss Barbara Desborough, Windsor, and Miss Muriel Cowieson, Toronto, were visiting in Aurora over the weekend.

Miss Mabel Ough, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ough.

Miss Helen Boynton, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boynton.

Misses Elizabeth and Lily King, who are taking a physiotherapy course at the University of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lee King.

DATES ARE IMPORTANT

The Aurora salvage committee will gather waste paper on Oct. 14. A Red Cross blood donors' clinic will be held at Aurora United church on Oct. 26. The waste paper will go for war supplies and ammunition, while blood plasma is needed overseas more than ever.

ARTHUR WILLIAMSON DIES AT ROBLIN, MAN.

The death occurred last week at Roblin, Man., of Arthur Williamson, a resident of western Canada for over 30 years and a member of one of the Aurora district's best known families.

Mr. Williamson was in his 70th year. He was born near Vancouver and after farming for some years in the district he went west. For some years he kept a livery at Roblin, but lately retired from business. A year ago he attended his brother's funeral here.

He is survived by his widow and two sons, and two brothers, Daniel of Aurora and Edward of Newmarket. The funeral service and interment were at Roblin.

ASK FINANCIAL HELP FOR OVERSEAS BOXES

Up to Monday of this week, \$132 had been contributed by Aurora residents to the Aurora Red Cross overseas boxes fund. The amount is far short of that needed. Mrs. J. F. Willis, treasurer of the local Red Cross, stated this week.

"We appreciate that many calls are being made on the people of Aurora, but none is more urgent than this," Mrs. Willis said. "Any person who can contribute should do so now. We are going ahead with the boxes even though by the time we send them we may have a deficit to meet later. We plan a draw to aid the fund, but are hoping the townspeople will help send over 200 boxes overseas as well as Christmas parcels for them in Canada."

Remittances should be made to Mrs. Willis.

Queen's York Rangers Resume Weekly Training

With around 125 officers and N.C.O.'s present the 2nd battalion, Queen's York Rangers, held a weekend scheme and manoeuvres at Shadow Lake last Saturday and Sunday. Practices with the Sten gun, Bren gun, grenades and gas were held as well as new battle tactics.

The scheme was under the direction of Lieut.-Col. C. E. Reeve, E. D. Capt. William Hunt and Capt. W. Griffiths. In attendance from C. Coy. were Lieuts. Arnold Miller, Larry Bell, Don. Wade and Delroy Babcock, Sgts. Charles Ellis, George Shouls, Cliff. Bell and Harold Corbett, Cpls. Cliff. Giles and Jim Cherry and C.Q.M.S. Howard Bunn.

Officers and N.C.O.'s of C. Coy. paraded at the Aurora armory on Monday for a syllabus refresher prior to the opening of the regular weekly training schedule which opens at the Aurora armory tonight.

BRIGADE IS CALLED

Aurora fire brigade was called to extinguish a chimney fire at the hotel occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson at Schomberg Junction on Saturday. The brigade arrived in time to prevent the fire spreading or any serious damage being done.

SHOW REMADE CLOTHING

The first display of remade clothing to be shown in secondary schools outside of Toronto comes to Aurora high school on Tuesday, Oct. 10. The public is invited to attend the display, which is sponsored by the war-time prices and trade board. It is being brought in conjunction with the home economics department.

ATTEND LIONS CONVENTION

Lion Dr. G. A. C. Guntion and Mrs. Guntion attended the Ontario-Quebec Lions International convention in Quebec city last week.

WED 61 YEARS

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. George MacMain, Armilage, P.O., who celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary on Monday.

ATTENDS MEETINGS

Dr. C. J. Devins, president of the Ontario Medical Association, attended the annual meeting of District No. 1 physicians on Oct. 3 and 4 at London, Ont. Tomorrow he will be at Walkerton for the meeting of Grey-Bruce medics.

HEALTH PLAN UNDER FIRE; AURORA PLANS FOR V-DAY

Dr. Crawford Rose opposed a recommendation from the board of health that public school children be examined by doctors and dentists once a year and a permanent record be kept, at Aurora town council meeting on Monday evening.

The proposal set a doctor's fee of \$2 for each child examined, and a dentist's fee of 25 cents. There are around 400 public school children in Aurora.

"I was opposed to any suggestion of examining children for a set fee," said Dr. Rose. "The people who benefit most from a set fee are those with furnished pockets and the doctors. If such an examination were conducted, the doctors would get only their regular patients anyway."

"No organization has gotten behind a campaign for a public health nurse as they did in Newmarket. I suggested a nurse trained by the department of public health. Half of her salary is paid by the department. I was asked if I had in mind a Victorian Order Nurse and I said no. A public health nurse was tried in Aurora for two years, a number of years ago, and was then voted down. I didn't ask if she had the co-operation of the board of health because I knew the answer was no."

"For \$800 we can get a trained public health nurse who will inspect the children every day for 12 months," said Councillor R. V. Smith. "It would help prevent communicable diseases too."

"The nurse would be under the local M.O.H.," said Mayor Ross Linton.

"She would have authority to send children home if they were sick enough," said Mr. Smith.

"Where I lived for a number of years, the local doctor or the M.O.H. examined the pupils," said Councillor T. F. Swindle. "The cost was 50 cents a pupil and the doctors travelled all over the section. They sent a report home to the parents of their findings. You do as you like about it."

"We're about 25 or 30 years behind the times in Aurora in respect to health," stated Mr. Smith.

Mayor Linton said that the factors were trying to get health service through a health league. He didn't know if the two could be combined.

"The Royal Victorian Order of Nurses will make arrangements for a nurse in a community trained for joint service," said Dr. Rose. "In order for such a person to come into town, she must be sponsored locally. Would the Lions club, with a generous grant from the town council, or any other organization undertake to sponsor her until she was self supporting?"

"If just children are examined, you are only covering half the situation," said Mayor Linton.

"The V.O.N. go into a lot of homes where there is a lot of want," said Councillor Smith. "I wouldn't like to see this nurse under the control of a doctor in this town."

"It is fundamentally a social venture," said Dr. Rose.

Dr. Rose was asked to obtain information on the V.O.N. for the next council meeting.

T. F. Swindle Resigns From Streets Committee

The resignation of Councillor T. F. Swindle from the streets committee of the Aurora town council was accepted at a meeting on Monday evening.

Councillor Swindle objected to the manner in which Reeve C. E. Sparks, chairman of the committee, conducted the committee and presented reports. He stated that he had been criticized for using his position to obtain a new piece of sidewalk in front of his residence. He had not known, he said, that the committee intended to put a new sidewalk there.

WITH THE CHURCHES

The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church met this afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. R. McKenzie.

The W.M.S. of Aurora United church met this afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. Roger Self, dominion president, was guest speaker. Mrs. E. H. Clarke presided and a social hour followed.

Rev. G. I. B. Johnston, Toronto, is in charge of the services at St. John's church, Oak Ridge, and All Saint's church, King, during the illness of Rev. R. S. Mason.

The Y. P. U. of Aurora United church held a wolver roast at the farm of Dr. C. J. Devins on Friday evening.

OPENS REAL ESTATE OFFICE

R. H. Corner, former warden of York county, has opened a real estate office on Wellington St. Mr. Corner moved to Aurora from Pefferlaw last spring.

His son, Floyd Corner, Toronto, who is a barrister, will occupy the office part time.

Other Council Business

A motion was passed at Monday's Aurora town council meeting authorizing the payment of Mayor Ross Linton's expenses at the Ontario Mayors' Association convention.

Equalization of assessment was discussed by the council. It was suggested that a speaker from the Citizens' Research Bureau in Toronto be invited to come to Aurora to speak on the subject.

SEND WREATH

Tribute was paid to the late Sir William Mulock by Aurora town council on Monday evening. A wreath was sent on behalf of the town and a letter of condolence was sent to his family.

Several complaints of residents regarding trees in front of their property were turned over to the streets committee, with power to act.

A complaint regarding street lighting will be investigated. An application from Leslie Bea-

zer to run the arena on the same basis as last year or rent it outright for a five-months period, was not accepted by the council.

All-night parking on Aurora streets was discussed.

A criticism of garbage collection was made by the social and sanitation committee.

Stops are being taken by council to eliminate the fire trap in Mechanics' Hall.

Reeve C. E. Sparks, chairman of the streets committee, reported on work done.

A by-law, authorizing the borrowing of \$10,000 to meet current expenditures until taxes are collected was passed.

A resolution was passed setting the assessor's fees at \$300, the same as last year.

IT'S NEARLY READY

Councillor A. N. Fisher reported at an Aurora town council meeting on Monday evening that the new fire engine would be ready in six weeks.

Five Aurora Soldiers Are Wounded In Action

News from overseas continues to reveal sacrifices made and wounds suffered by Aurora boys.

From Italy, Mrs. Allan Ferguson has received word that her husband, Pte. Allan ("Turk") Ferguson, a former Aurora hockey star, has been wounded while serving with the 48th Highlanders. The extent of his wounds or the circumstances are not known. Pte. Ferguson enlisted in 1942 with the Canadian armored corps and after advanced training at Camp Borden and Camp Shilo went overseas in 1943, serving in North Africa and later moving to Italy. Here he was transferred to the infantry.

Pte. Ferguson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Ferguson, Metcalf St. A brother, Pte. David Ferguson, is with the infantry reinforcements at Camp Borden. Previous to joining for active service, Pte. Ferguson was a member of the 2nd battalion, Irish Regiment, and was employed with the Collis Leather Co. He was a member of Aurora junior hockey team that met Orangeville in the junior C finals in 1938.

Jack Browning has received a letter from his brother, Sgt. Bruce Browning, who is also in Italy, stating that he has suffered serious defect to his hearing as a result of action with the 8th army. Bruce is now convalescing at a mountain hospital behind the lines and expects to go back to England.

One of the first Aurora boys to enlist, Sgt. Browning joined the army service corps going overseas in 1940. After being in England for nearly three years, he proceeded to Italy with Canadian troops in 1943. Bruce was crossing a bridge with other members of his unit when enemy fire destroyed it, most of his comrades being killed. In his letter he says, "I was one of the few to escape with only slight damage." His mother resides on Yonge St. and his wife and family in Toronto. Sgt. Browning was an expert at all sports, being especially prominent in hockey and lacrosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis, Metcalf St., have received word that their eldest son, Pte. Ernest Davis, of the 48th Highlanders, who was reported wounded on Aug. 29, but returned to action, was wounded a second time on Sept. 16.

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Chief Constable and Mrs. Fisher Dunham have received word from Ottawa that the telegram received by them a few weeks ago stating that their son, Tpr. Bert Dunham, has been wounded in France was in error, and that he has so far escaped injury. He is still in action with his unit.

POPULATION IS 3,004, W. H. TAYLOR REPORTS

W. H. Taylor, who is 81 years old, made his 17th assessment report at an Aurora town council meeting on Monday evening.

Mr. Taylor reported to council that Aurora now has a population of 3,004. He stated there were 519 school children from 5 to 15 years of age. There were 45 births recorded during the year and 25 deaths, Mr. Taylor stated.

Mr. Taylor gave the total assessment as \$1,633,902, made up as follows: land, \$834,606; buildings, \$1,134,785; business, \$66,512. The assessment is up \$10,000 over last year.

The court of revision for the assessment roll will be held in November. Mayor Ross Linton, Reeve C. E. Sparks, Deputy-Reeve A. A. Cook and Councillors A. N. Fisher and T. F. Swindle were named to sit on the court of revision.

Jack Browning has received a letter from his brother, Sgt. Bruce Browning, who is also in Italy, stating that he has suffered serious defect to his hearing as a result of action with the 8th army. Bruce is now convalescing at a mountain hospital behind the lines and expects to go back to England.

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Mayor Linton Presents Certificates To Pupils

Mayor Roscoe Linton was present at Aurora high school last Wednesday morning to present intermediate certificates to the following successful pupils: Muriel Walton, Michael van Nostrand, June Laskoski, Grace Blatchford, Gladys Wythe, Eva Wray, Patricia Wilson, Ruth Willson, David Urquhart, Carol Underhill, Donald Stephenson, Lillian Rose, Lorene Paxton, Phyllis Mustard, Betty McKenzie, Pearl Mackey, Gerry McDonald, Barbara MacGill, Gordon Lee, Mary Langley, Mary Komar, Ruth Knowles, Louise Kelley, David Johnson, Robert Hollingsworth, Joan Hill, John Hambley, Colleen Gould, Ruth Follitt, Arthur Ehrhidge, Dennis Davies, Ronald Crabtree, Elizabeth Copson, Marian Cook, Barbara Cook, June Coleman, June Caulfield, Shirley Campbell, Clair Bryan, Betty Bico and Walter Bunn.

TOWN SELLS LOT

Aurora town council accepted the offer of \$175 of Mrs. J. P. Fowler, Toronto, for a lot on the north side of Tyler St., which is owned by the town, at a council meeting on Monday evening.

Councillor R. V. Smith, chairman of the sports and publicity committee of Aurora town council, gave an outline of the committee's plans for a Victory celebration at a council meeting on Monday evening.

Mr. Smith stated that three meetings had been held, which the ministers of the town and members of service clubs and other organizations had attended.

Plans for the V-day celebrations as presented by Mr. Smith included a thanksgiving service, a parade of school children, the organization of corps, floats, etc., and dances to be planned by the firemen and other organizations.

It was suggested in a report that 700 small flags be purchased for the school children to carry.

The order of service, which was drawn up by the ministers of the town under the chairmanship of Rev. A. R. Park, was also presented to the council.

"Mr. Smith is to be commended on the work and effort he has put into these V-day celebration plans," said Deputy-Reeve A. A. Cook.

"Any thanksgiving service will be inadequate to meet the occasion," Councillor T. F. Swindle said. "I am afraid we're not going to be able to get the crowd into the thanksgiving mood. The clergy should decide whether they will hold a monster union service or separate services, or both. I think there should be a singing of hymns everyone knows and a message by the mayor."

"It will be difficult to tie the service up with the parade," said Mr. Smith. "We should have a separate evening for the service. The order of service can be held either in the park or in the hall. The committee agreed that of most importance was a service of thanksgiving for the liberation of the European countries. Everything depends on when we get the news and the weather."

"Rev. Roy Hicks suggested in his message Sunday evening that the better way to celebrate would be not so much a hilarious time," Councillor A. N. Fisher stated. "There will be more homes affected and we will want to bring them comfort and help. It does not matter what other towns are planning. It is what is right for our town."

"I wouldn't want the town to plan a hilarious celebration," said Mayor Ross Linton. "I don't see how we could."

"There might be a little danger that we would go off half-cooked," suggested Councillor Crawford Rose. "There's going to be on that day feelings and emotions that no organization can control. We can have a service a week later, after things calm down."

"That is the purpose of the committee," said Mr. Smith. "The factories will be closed that day and churches will be open. The main thing is to give leadership to people. It will be under control as far as you can control a celebration of this kind."

"I understand the mayor intends to call a council meeting and we can tell better then," said Mr. Swindle.

"The machinery is set up," said Mr. Smith. "There have been some wonderful ideas and plans and we have had the full support of everyone."

LIONS AND TOWN WILL ERECT 'WELCOME' SIGNS

A resolution was passed by the Aurora town council on Monday evening approving the erection of signs at the north and south ends of the town and granting \$50 towards the cost.

Clarence Duff appeared before the council on behalf of the Aurora Lions club, asking the town to pay half the cost of the signs, the Lions to pay the other half.

The signs will be similar to those at the entrances to Newmarket, advertising both the Lions club and the town.

Mr. Duff stated that no highway in Ontario was more heavily travelled and about the only signs advertising the town were the speed limit signs.

HAS OPERATION

John Klees underwent an appendix operation at York County hospital last week. His condition is reported as favorable.

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LEAD THE STYLE PARADE

DOWN THE CENTRE

Eddie Burke, star wingman of No. 2 Rams last winter, has been named coach of Barrie Colts and will not likely be seen in action in any local service group this winter. Burke, who is an R.S.M. with the armored corps, is a veteran player. He was a member of the St. John Beavers in the Maritime senior league and should do a good job. Barrie is, of course, the farm team for the St. Louis Flyers and should not lack for players.

They are said to be interested in having a couple of the kid goalies from the local junior group try out for the team and either Red Palmer of Newmarket or Norman Borden of Richmond Hill might well fill the bill. Stander, the younger of the two, is just 15 but has a real future ahead of him,

while Palmatier upheld the Newmarket team all last season. Both lads played hardball in the district midge league all summer and were no slouches.

Overseas news brings word of the death of Lieut. Clair Dutcher of Elmville, erstwhile hurler in the softball circuit and once stationed at Newmarket camp where he played a bit of ball too. In France, Cpl. Sonny Jones, a colored professional boxer and a member of the Dufferins who transferred to the Royals, is also reported killed. He was a member of the same platoon as Ace Yake. Jones, a welterweight, was a real gentleman in and out of the ring.

Offhand, in addition to the loss of Johnny O'Connor, we recall that the great little bantam, Jackie

Docherty, flyweight Frankie Young and welter Georgie Platt are some of the young Canadian leather-punchers to pay the supreme sacrifice. Several of these lads appeared on cards in and around Newmarket. The others are names known to sports followers of the district. Docherty once fought Baby Yack, now an instructor at Newmarket camp.

Marj. McCannan, the Newmarket girl who made good in big league softball, was one of the four batters in the charmed .300 hitter class among 60 odd girls performing in the Sunnyside loop in Toronto. Marj. hit .306, a little under her best figure but still plenty good. The leading batter, June Hanly, had a .383 figure and after that Alma Wilson and Kay Genereaux, two of the most famous names in feminine sport, followed. Quite an honour in our opinion to rank with a trio like that. There are several district girls who could stand a real chance to make good in the Toronto league where a bit more than

peanuts is assured the team members as well as the usual fun that goes with playing softball.

Capt. Frank Classey, former Thornhill junior lacrosse player, later an officer with the reserve unit of the Queen's Yorks, has now fully recovered from injuries sustained in action. An overseas dispatch dealing with the honors won by the Governor-General's Horse Guards, with whom Capt. Classey is now associated, tells of him leading his platoon to destroy successfully a German assault gun in a particularly strategic spot at Monte Galliera in Italy.

I heard a good way to describe juvenile delinquency the other day. The person we were talking to described it as juvenile boredom. There is no doubt in our mind that this is a bit better description of things. Kids are not fundamentally bad and you all recall the old proverb which tells about what befalls those with time on their hands. Parents are to blame in a good many cases but the community has a responsibility too. All of which, of course, can go for a plug for the purchase of the Newmarket

arena by the town. "Prevent Juvenile Boredom" might be a good campaign slogan. Those were some mighty fine lines expressed by such good sportsmen as Frank Courtney, Mickey Smith, George Haskett, Del. Gibney, Alex. Behn and other Newmarket fellows who know the score and know the answer to it too.

Earl Cook, the "Lemonville Farmer," in case you didn't notice, ended the season in the International league on even terms in the wins and losses columns. Cooke failed as a starting pitcher but did a pretty fair chore as a relief pitcher. We do not know what the Leafs plan to do with Cook next year. His playing days are closing and they could do worse than send him around to the small towns to promote baseball and look over the prospects for the Leafs. A clean-living fellow who has been a credit to the game and to the district from which he came, Cook would make an ideal goodwill ambassador. Cook's success should be an example to the young fellows who started in baseball around these parts the past summer. While

plenty good, he was not unbeatable or head and shoulders above many other players in the group and there are youngsters who can do as well.

Phil Marchildon of Penetang is another example of a small town boy making good. He did better than Earl and but for the fact he is a prisoner of war in Germany would be one of the leading pitchers in the American league today. And we, perhaps, wouldn't be hearing so much about Dirty Trout and Hal Newhouser of the Detroit Tigers.

Bobby McLaughlin, star centre of Brampton Bulls last winter, is now a member of No. 3 armored regiment at Camp Borden. Bobby, who is a pal of Scotty Mair, played with the Newmarket boy at Runnymede C.I. and with Marlborough Juniors and seniors. He is a quiet, likable lad and was employed in the office at Maple Leaf Gardens from which he came. Cook would make an ideal goodwill ambassador. Cook's success should be an example to the young fellows who started in baseball around these parts the past summer. While

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performed at first base in spectacular fashion for both Newmarket hardballers and softballers, has been transferred to Hamilton on an army course as has Bill Paisley, who doubled on the diamond too, at either shortstop or third base for the camp. Fennell is hardly likely to return to Newmarket for the current hockey season.

Who knows what the setup will be in hockey around the district this winter, whether camp will, of course, be forced under military ruling to play in an all-military group and the situation will be clarified somewhat in all probability in the next few weeks. Right now No. 23 has some mighty talented puckchasers in camp. Holdovers from last season include Cpl. Jack Wheeler, ace defenceman, Johnny Callahan, Harvey Avison, additions to camp include many others. Capt. Blin, Campbell, coach and spare netminder for Brampton Bulls last winter, and Eugene ("Joel") McComb, who is the best forward in the group.

Charlie Nesbitt, top scorer of the team two years ago and mighty effective with No. 2 last winter, is back at No. 23 and should fit in well. The Bradford boy seems to get better as the years roll on and the hair continues to thin on top. Lieut. Jimmy Holmes, a pretty fair puck artist who missed his hockey officer's training, is doing a stretch at No. 23 now but may well be elsewhere shortly. Bruce Rich, who played for Etobicoke against Aurora Juniors a few years back, is on staff at Newmarket now and softballer Hugo Kuligemas is said to have played some fair hockey around Montreal. We don't know how true it is but rumor has it that Kavanagh and Leach, two more Montreal players of better than average ability, are in camp and there are doubtless quite a few more who can really go on hand.

Looks as if Jack McDonald, Alex. Stewart and all the gang will have a happy winter season. For at this stage at least there is more good talent on hand at 23 than in some years. The Borden teams, except for the good T. and S. team which is practically intact, are more or less an unknown quantity, although there are quite a few crack players in camp at this date.

Newmarket Juniors will be back, we understand, for another year. Jimmy Walker and Cliff Gnan have most of last year's team on hand and with a year's experience under their belts these kids should be able to fly. There were some good young prospects at Bradford last winter and with Aurora confining itself to minor hockey there should be one or two from there ready to strengthen the Newmarket team. Military personnel, unless special permission is given, will not be able to play with a civilian club regardless of age.

Charlie Rowntree, as might be expected, has dreamed hockey at the plough most of the summer and he and Grant Nighswander will have a pretty fair roster to start with. Most of the Toronto boys will be lost to junior A clubs, including Wolfe, Chris and Blakey, but the Hill kept their eyes open when the T.H.L. teams performed there last winter and in addition the rural league operation produced one or two prospects. The championship bantam club, of course, will be another source of ready supply.

Whitby has nearly all of last year's team ready to go again, although Harden is gone and Samanski will likely be with Oshawa Generals. Markham started a few months ago to round up new players and we hear they will be the farm club for one of the Toronto Junior A clubs with Hy. Bell back at the helm again. The club made money last winter and while there is not likely to be many homebrews on hand the village will contribute at the gate as long as the team is doing well.

That makes a nice compact junior group ready for action. It is just about time for everybody to take stock and if funds are needed arrange to get the needed. Hockey equipment is likely to be more plentiful than in the last few years, according to the dealers, with restrictions lifted a bit, but on the other hand the demands of the services will be even greater than in other years since new army policy aims to get sport to the masses rather than the select players.

Lee, Bowser and some of the Aurora district boys were able to organize and have a successful season with town league hockey last winter. Playing material for the clubs concerned has not changed a great deal, particularly so far as Zephyr and Vardorf are concerned. The R.C.O.C. personnel, of course, changes, but there are still a few of the better players left and doubtless unknowns fit for town league hockey on hand.

Despite the calls of the services there are enough kids and veterans in Aurora to see a team of sorts. The Richmond-Hill bush league, which really made money last winter and even sent its winner into the O.H.A., will be back bigger and better than ever next winter. That seems to be about all the dope we can give you on hockey so far as North York is concerned right now but we have our ear to the ground on the situation.

The pro teams open practices this week and we will soon have an idea of just how strong they are and what is in store for us by way of paying out good money. We can, of course, be assured no matter what the actual calibre may be that Foster Hewitt will still make winter nights "hockey night in Canada."

This year, from all accounts, it will perhaps not be so difficult since a good many of the boys are back from the armed services and the clubs know just about who will be available all season. Schriener, Metz, Goldup, Stobollian and several others are either coming out of retirement or discharged from the army.

Nels Findlay of Thornhill, who played some nifty softball a few years back with Richmond Hill, has had a really successful season as coach of the Amherstham Electric team, winners of the Toronto Industrial League and contenders for the Intermediate A title. Findlay took the mound this year and has been pitching well. His club was eliminated by Belleville in a three game series but in part of the series Nels pitched two games in one day and finished both breaking even on the count. With George Stong, Ronnie O'Dell (both now overseas)

POT POURRI

By GOLDEN GLOW

So summer is over! Yes definitely—but we have bright, sunny days in October and quite often too after the leaves come down. It will be bonfires from now on—and the pungent smell of burning leaves. That isn't so bad but I do object to the smudges created by the starlings—have you ever time thinking they are some other kind of bird—they seem able to imitate anything.

I wonder what it is on people's boulevards that attracts the sparrows—for you see them there by the dozens, industriously searching out something they seem to like. When we went to church on a rainy day we saw 20 or more sparrows in different parts of Lions Park, scattered here and there—I bet they were after dew worms! Soon they will be leaving us, for when you see them all gather up in flocks it is a sign they will soon head south.

You boys overseas will be getting so accustomed to the English birds you'll have to get acquainted with our Canadian birds all over again when you come back. We are all so busy with overseas Christmas boxes that everything else has to fade into the background for the time being and many are the discussions among our church groups as to what we shall put in. We want to send so much and a good assurance we will not send you things just because we know you like them as the old lady did—she recall her—she said her son liked apple pie and best pickle, so she wanted to send him both. She packed them in a shoe-box—and the post office said it was a "gory mess" when it arrived in Ottawa! Fancy—two apple pies and a glass jar of best pickle in a shoe box! No wonder we hear and read of repeated discussions as to overseas boxes from the post office department.

Speaking of the post office naturally brings to mind the Post Master General, the member for North York, Colonel W. P. Mackenzie—and our deep sympathy goes out to him and the other members of the family of our beloved Sir William, whose quiet passing in this sleep Sunday morning was remembered on the radio at noon, just after we came in from morning service. I have just heard an affectionate tribute to his memory by Canon Cody, president of Toronto University, close friend of Sir William for over 30 years.

Dr. Cody acclaimed Sir William's devotion to his mother and said he would be buried beside her in the beautiful cemetery at Newmarket on Wednesday. I will tell you about it in my next week's letter. One hundred and one years old! Truly the age limit must have been extended in these days of the 20th century. How often have we repeated the family saying which runs: "The days of our age are three score and ten years, and though, by reason of strength, we come to four score years, yet is our strength then but labor and sorrow, so soon passeth it away and we are gone."

Sir William exceeded that by 20 years and all of us who knew him, or knew of him, know that these last 20 years of his life (even if he said he was living on borrowed time) were certainly not labor and sorrow, but full to the brim of joyous living, a blessing to each and every one of us! Newmarket and Aurora have always felt that he was first, and above all, a citizen of North York, for his early years were spent here—and he was always affectionately called "Sir William," nobody needed to add his surname, we all knew there was only one "Sir William" for us, or ever could be.

As children we loved the monument in Newmarket cemetery in the Mulock family plot—a tall, round shaft supporting a beautifully modelled angel, scattering flowers from a basket, done in white marble. Newmarket citizens, who heard Dr. Cody Sunday evening say Sir William will be buried here in our lovely cemetery, will thrill at the thought that he is coming home to our little town to lie beside his well-beloved mother and father for his long rest.

The passing of Sir William has quite overshadowed the little items I intended to include in my letter but you will understand I know. It is not given to many of us to reach the century mark and to keep our brain power and our keen memory as well, so no wonder Sir William has been an outstanding figure and influence in our lives. We can't feel anything but pride to know that his last resting place will be here in our midst in our well loved town of Newmarket.

SUTTON WEST

The regular autumn thank offering service of the W.M.S. of Knox United Church, Sutton, will be held in the church on Sunday evening, Oct. 8, at 7.30. Mrs. I. G. Struthers, who has spent many years in China, will be the guest speaker.

UNION STREET

The regular meeting of the Union Street Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Desvitt on Oct. 12 at 2 p.m. Roll-call will be at York County Pioneer Family. Elmhurst Women's Institute will be present and will provide the program. All the members are asked to please provide lunch.

Pto. Slim Graves, Camp Borden, is spending a month's furlough with his wife.

Quite a number attended the rally at Belhaven on Tuesday.

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So, this Thanksgiving, let's not forget to say a heartfelt "thank you" to the untiring Farmers and their families, wherever they are, in this Our Country.

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DOMINO BAKING POWDER	1 LB. TIN	15c
DOMESTIC OR JEWEL SHORTENING	LB.	19c
CAMPBELL'S CHICKEN WITH RICE, CHICKEN NOODLE, CHICKEN GUMBO SOUP	10 OZ. TIN	11c
LYNN VALLEY PEAS 4-5 STANDARD	2 70 OZ. TINS	23c
SEVERAL BRANDS AVAILABLE TOMATO JUICE	3 70 OZ. TINS	25c
AYLMER CHOICE PUMPKIN	20 OZ. TIN	12c
CHATEAU CHEESE	1 OZ. PKG.	19c
RICHMOND FRESHLY GROUND COFFEE	LB.	35c
DOMINION FRESH DAILY BREAD	2 LOAVES	15c

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

SUNKIST VALENCIA ORANGES 21'S	DOZ.	25c
SUNKIST VALENCIA ORANGES 22'S	DOZ.	39c
McINTOSH COMB. GRADE APPLES	4 QT. BASKET	59c
GRAVENSTEN NO. 1 GRADE APPLES	4 QT. BASKET	45c
McINTOSH COMB. GRADE APPLES	3 LBS.	25c
GRAVENSTEN NO. 1 GRADE APPLES	4 LBS.	25c
TOKAY AND BLACK RHIBER GRAPES	2 LBS.	33c
ONTARIO NO. 1 POTATOES	10 LBS.	23c
LOUISIANA YAMS	2 LBS.	19c
CELERY	2 FOR	19c

QUALITY MEATS

FRESH YOUNG ROASTING CHICKENS	LB.	39c
TENDERIZED WHOLE OR HALF SMOKED HAM	LB.	39c
FRESH (HOCK OFF) PORK SHOULDERS	LB.	25c
PRIME COMMERCIAL BEEF		
ROUND STEAK or ROAST	LB.	39c
ROUND OR SQUARE END RUMP ROAST	LB.	37c
FIRST 6 RIBS PRIME RIB ROAST	LB.	31c
BLADE ROAST	LB.	25c
SHORT RIB ROAST	LB.	27c
WHOLE OR HALF LAMB FRONTS	LB.	23c

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DOWN THE CENTRE

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and Teddy Bennett on hand he didn't get much chance to show his mounds ability with the Hill, although he was used as a relief hurler on several occasions.

Ken Gullfoyle of Orillia, who in the early 30's was a big bear to Newman as he performed for Barrie, has entered the O.A.S.A. playdowns with Orillia again and while not as fast as formerly, aided his club in eliminating a northern Ontario team and has bested Burlington once. As an indication of just how long softball may be played, Burlington is using Bomber Banks, a 47-year-old tosser who defeated Orillia in the first game. We doubt if there is another pitcher of this age performing today—makes Alex. Webster look like a youngster.

Andy Armstrong of Newmarket came in a newcomer to the camp softball line-up who has added strength to the team. Lieut. Armstrong comes from Toronto and is holding down right field with finesse.

Don Robinson, six feet tall and weighing 185 pounds, is in attendance at St. Andrew's college this season and adds considerable strength to the Andean line which was none too strong last year. Don is playing middle wing, a position in which he subbed last year for Balmy Beach seniors. Not since the days of Jim McVean and Pepper Martin has St. Andrew's had a better individual performer. Cuthbert, Wynne and the Errington brothers, all hold-overs from last year, are other outstanding St. Andrew's players.

In their first big league start they lost 8-0 to University of Toronto Schools, who have a very strong team, but the Saints indicated that they will be real contenders for the Little Big Four title. St. Andrew's defeated North Toronto C.I. juniors 14-0 and their seconds trounced Pickering 15-0 to indicate there is plenty of good material coming up as well. It was in 1939 that S.A.C. won their last title. U.T.S. had on their line-up Johnny Bark, brother of Chad Bark, well remembered for his performances on the gridiron and hockey cushion. Chad, who is now overseas, was a member of No. 3 C.A.C.R. last winter.

Johnny is a pretty nice hockey player too. Another brother, Don Bark, is slated for a trial with Chicago Black Hawks this season. U.T.S. won their match on a fumble and superior kicking. St. Andrew's having an even shake or better on the play except for this feature.

Sparky Vail has led his McIntyre mates to victory in the far north baseball series. The Timmins team came from behind against Kirkland Lake, Vail finally coming through. The past few years Sparky has been in the coupe class Kirkland Lake teams despite good pitching in his own league. They now meet Creighton Mines in the northern Ontario series, a team which competed unsuccessfully in the Canadian Congress play-offs.

Incidentally, one of the best players in the recent Camp Borden baseball finals was Lieut. Murray MacPherson who played for Beaverbrook last year. They eliminated Aurora in the O.A.S.A. series with Vail pitching for Aurora. Lieut. MacPherson also performed for Sunderland and is especially well remembered in that area. A pitcher or infielder, by choice he donned the pads and a mask from No. 2 C.A.C.T.R. who were just nosed out in the finals by the Infantry.

Jake Guadar of Orillia, who played defence for the juniors from that centre in 1939 against Aurora and two years ago performed for the O.A.S.A. series with Vail pitching for Aurora. Lieut. MacPherson also performed for Sunderland and is especially well remembered in that area. A pitcher or infielder, by choice he donned the pads and a mask from No. 2 C.A.C.T.R. who were just nosed out in the finals by the Infantry.

Aurora Lions made a smart move last week as they staged a banquet in Trinity parish hall for the kids who played baseball on the Aurora baseball team. It was a most festive affair and the kids and the kids really enjoyed themselves. The kids were plentiful and a magician and other acts caused plenty of amusement. Now the Lions are planning to raise funds for hockey equipment and winter sports for the youngsters and a dance and bingo is being held in the spacious Aurora armory on Friday night of this week. It promises to be a big night and, of course, no sport fan can afford to miss being present. The kids need your money even though you don't dance and you can always play bingo or munch a redhot. Need we say more?

Wednesday night, Sept. 27, was a great night in the history of Keswick United church. The \$4,500 mortgage which has been standing for nearly 15 years was burned.

The service was called a Service of Thanksgiving and Mortgage Burning. Associated in the service with Rev. Gordon Lapp, present minister of the church, was Rev. Chas. E. Fockler of Maple, former minister of this church, and Rev. Stephen J. Mathers of Toronto, chairman of Toronto Centre Presbytery of the United Church of Canada. Mr. Mathers is minister of St. James-Bond United church, Toronto. Dr. H. J. Fitchard, Sutton United church, pronounced benediction.

The choir's anthem was Praise Ye the Lord by Gounod. The choirleader was Miss Eva Gilroy and the organist Mrs. Harold Pollard.

The history of the mortgage, which dates from 1926, was briefly reviewed and the decreasing principal of it shown on the blackboard. This was in place of the usual outline talk about the amounts, etc. The church building, enlarged and renovated in 1925, just when the general church revival was taking place, is a buff-colored stucco building with central tower. The present Sunday-school room was the old church, erected in 1878 by the Methodist Episcopal. After the Methodist union of 1884 the church was simply Keswick Methodist.

Dedication services for the present building were held in November of 1925. The cost was \$11,000 of which \$5,000 was paid in cash. A mortgage was taken for \$6,000 in January of 1926 and signed by the following trustees: Ira Morton, John Marritt, Josh Sheppard, Richmond Cole, Arthur Gilroy, Wm. Marritt, Ernest Morton, Orville M. King, Angus King, Walker Rigler, Frank F. Marritt, Dan McGenerty, Ryan Switzer and P. Judson Cole. The first five names are now deceased.

Pledges made at the time of building were redeemed to the extent of \$1,500 in the next few years. Then the mortgage stood at \$4,500 for a considerable time until, in 1942, a move was launched to reduce and ultimately discharge it.

In 1932 the local union with the majority group of Keswick Christian church had taken place. Ten years later, in 1942, their former paragonage was sold and the proceeds used to reduce the amount. Bequests of \$1,000 from the late Henry Sennett and of \$100 from the late Mary Purdy helped further. The Women's Association raised money and applied it. Dating back to 1892 was a fund of \$415 left by Henry Draper, one of the founders of the Keswick M.E. church and a relative of his. For 50 years the interest of this had been used for ministerial support. The necessary legal steps having been taken this amount was applied. Finally, in the early summer of this year a canvass was undertaken.

Fifteen summer visitors at Keswick contributed \$359 and some 85 local people contributed approximately \$1,250, more than enough to complete payment.

In the service the mortgage was burned by Mr. William Marritt, 85-year-old clerk of session and a living link between the present congregation and the M.E. congregation of 1878. Prior to the burning, nine candles, each one symbolizing some source of the money used to retire the mortgage, were lit by representative people. Mrs. O. St. King, niece of the late Henry Sennett, Mr. Wm. Purdy, son of the late Mary Purdy, and Winston Prosser, grandnephew of the late Henry Draper, lit the candles for the three bequests. Mrs. Wm. Davidson lit the candle for the Women's Association, Mr. Ryan Switzer for the original contributions and the pledges of 1925-29, Mr. Geo. Hamilton for the Christian church paragonage, Mrs. J. H. Wesley, Newmarket, for the summer visitors, Mr. Jas. Clark for the canvassers in the recent campaign and Mr. Jack Haines as chairman of stewards for the local contributors.

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday congratulations are extended this week to:
Roy Edward Broad, Schomberg, two years old on Sunday, Sept. 24.
Kenneth Emmerson, Nobleton, eight years old on Tuesday, Sept. 26.
Johnnie Houghton, Cookstown, 13 years old on Tuesday, Sept. 26.
Linda Margaret Summerville, Schomberg, two years old on Thursday, Sept. 28.
Carol Noxel, Newmarket, five years old on Sunday, Oct. 1.
Evelyn Wadsworth, Newmarket, nine years old on Friday, Sept. 29.
Bernice Holloway, Ravenshoe, six years old on Sunday, Oct. 1.
Kenneth Wheeler, Newmarket, 10 years old on Tuesday, Oct. 2.
David Bastedo, Newmarket, nine years old on Monday, Oct. 2.
Marilyn Ann Wrightman, Newmarket, 12 years old on Tuesday, Oct. 3.
William Albert Summerville, Schomberg, one year old on Tuesday, Oct. 3.
Eleanor Smith, Newmarket, ten years old on Wednesday, Oct. 4.
Jean Lois Archibald, Schomberg, one year old on Wednesday, Oct. 4.
Bobby Greig, Queensville, 11 years old on Friday, Oct. 6.
Fred Thompson, Keswick, 11 years old on Friday, Oct. 6.
Alice Antoinette Le Gresley, two years old on Friday, Oct. 6.
Susanne Jane Hartsman, Bradford, four years old on Saturday, Oct. 7.
Send in your name, age and birthday and become a member of The Era and Express Birthday club.

Anniversary services will be held at Sharon United church on Sunday, Oct. 15, at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Rev. R. R. McMath, Newmarket, will be the guest speaker for the day. There will be special music. Misses Phyllis and Gwen Kitley, Helen Coffey and A.C. Donald Kitley, all of Toronto, and Mr. John Salter, Yonge St., were Sunday guests of Mrs. E. Kitley. Mrs. Ethel Mackie and Miss Doris Mackie, Toronto, spent the weekend at the Mountain home. Mrs. John Moore, Mount Albert, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shaw. Mr. Rex Werts, New Westminster, B.C., was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw during the weekend. A euchre party, under the auspices of the Sharon branch of the Red Cross, will be held in the hall at Sharon on Tuesday evening, Oct. 10. The proceeds will be used for overcoats boxes. Play will begin at 8.30. Sharon ladies are asked to please provide sandwiches.

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LIONEL BARRYMORE - VAN JOHNSON
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Mr. and Mrs. Acl Chapman and children spent the weekend at Woodville.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Jacobs and Mrs. C. Marritt spent Thursday and Friday in Toronto.
The Boys' Comforts club met at Mrs. John McNeill's on Wednesday. Overcoats Christmas boxes are being packed this week.
Mrs. M. Sedore was in Toronto for a few days last week.
Miss Helen Huntley spent the weekend with her parents.

CONVALESCES IN TORONTO

Mrs. Charles Stuffles, former Newmarket resident, is convalescing from her recent illness at the home of her nephew, Carl Wesley, and Mrs. Wesley, Toronto. Mrs. Stuffles called on Mrs. Annie Sanderson and Mrs. Harold Sanderson on Sunday.

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MOUNT ALBERT

Mrs. Edward Morkhem, Judy and David, left on Saturday to visit relatives in Hamilton.

Ronald Allison, Toronto, has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Allison.

Miss Annie Ross, Midland, spent the weekend with Mrs. H. Pearson.

Miss Ethel Wagg, Midland, and Miss Hilda Wagg, Niagara-on-the-Lake, were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wagg.

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itors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wagg.

Thos. Moorehead was taken to the Toronto General hospital last week. After undergoing an operation he is recovering nicely.

Mrs. G. W. E. Macpherson, Reg. N., is taking a refresher course in home nursing in Toronto this week.

The W.A. of the United church is holding a tea at the church on Wednesday, Oct. 11.

Mrs. J. Tilley, John and Alex., spent the weekend at Oakville with Mrs. Tilley's mother, Mrs. Smith.

The veterans held a dance in the hall on Friday evening and enjoyed the music of the Merry-makers orchestra. They realized \$40, which goes for soldiers' comforts to boys overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cooper received word on Monday that their son, Pte. R. E. Cooper, is missing in France.

A letter received by Mr. and Mrs. H. Pearson from their son, Jack, in India, said he was fine and hopes to get home before too long. He had received six copies of The Newmarket Era and Express.

Grand weather is helping the farmers to get their potatoes dug and fall work done. There has

not been a great deal of frost to spoil the flowers as yet and showers have helped everything.

The October meeting of the Sutton district Ministerial Association was held at the home of Rev. W. H. Burgess, Mount Albert, on Monday. Rev. A. S. Doggett, Wilfrid, read a paper on faith. This was followed by an interesting discussion. The association decided to suspend the regular meetings for the present, owing to gasoline and tire rationing.

Harvest home thanksgiving services will be held in the United church next Sunday when the minister will preach in the morning. Rev. Fred Smith, Queen St. United church, Toronto, will be the guest speaker in the evening.

Rev. W. H. Burgess will be guest speaker at the former charge for the thanksgiving service on Sunday evening.

Sunday-school will be held in the morning at the United church throughout October.

The boxes from the United church for the boys overseas will be packed Oct. 13. Those who have not yet handed in their contributions still have time to leave them at Steeper's store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Draper and Ross and Mrs. Donald Stewart motored to Woodstock on Sunday to visit Mrs. Draper's sister, Mrs. Baine. They returned home on Monday.

Pte. Robert Lunan of Nova Scotia is home on furlough.

Ken Case, Petawawa camp, is home on leave for a month to help on the farm.

Mrs. Briggs, Sharon, was a visitor this week at the home of Mrs. Jas. Sioroch.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pegg, West Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pegg, Sutton, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Filey Pegg on Saturday.

W.C.T.U. MEETS

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Miss L. Starr, 98 Prospect St., on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at 3 o'clock. A report of the convention will be given.

NOTICE

TOWNSHIP OF EAST GWILLIMBURY VOTERS' LISTS

Voters' Lists, 1944, Municipality of the Township of East Gwillimbury, County of York.

Notice is hereby given that I have complied with section eight of The Voters' Lists Act and that I have posted up in my office at Queensville on the 29th day of September, 1944, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the said municipality at the Municipal elections and that such lists remain there for inspection.

And I shall call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law, the last day for appeal being the 20th day of October, 1944, Clerk, Township of East Gwillimbury.

Opinions on Arena Purchase

(Continued from Page 1)

"Sometimes, even as in your life and mine, we turn aside from that opportunity, we refuse to obey that impulse, within the community life, which would help improve the living conditions of many, because of the cost.

"That almighty dollar looms big in community life just as it does in the lives of individuals.

"Next Tuesday the citizens of Newmarket will have an opportunity to give to the oncoming generations of this town, a community owned and operated rink.

This town needs a rink. In fact, it needs much more than a rink. Newmarket needs all the places of clean body-building, health-giving exercise and amusement it can house and fill.

"It is not a dream that young people will have their amusements. Nor is it a dream that where healthy amusements are denied them, they will turn to unhealthy ones.

"Youth makes its demands for each day just as middle age or old age does. A healthy boy or girl is not contented with a book and a pipe, or a game of bridge, or a sewing circle as are people of thirty or over.

"They want strenuous games, they want physical exercise, they want life full of exuberance and speed.

"The easiest ranks to fill overseas and also the most dangerous is the paratroop unit. They are symbolic of youth today. Youth wants to do things, not just sit around. Youth will find a way to get pleasures.

"What are the people of Newmarket going to do to fill that want in the youth of our town? Sell the only place in Newmarket where young people, as well as older ones, may spend a healthy winter evening?

"No! A thousand times no! Let Newmarket keep up with the needs of its future citizens. Some of these days we are going to need a recreation hall, something in the nature of a Y.M.C.A., a community owned youth-centre, devoted to the needs of citizens of Newmarket, young and old.

Community play grounds are essential in the life of any town or city. Let us keep the rink and make it a winter sport centre, just as our ball parks and tennis courts and bowling greens are summer sport centres.

"This, then, is the opportunity presented to the community of Newmarket to begin its program of building up the physical and moral health of its young people. Buy the rink. Run it for the good of the boys and girls now and have it for the boys and girls when they return from 'over there'."

Stanley Smith: "I have been asked to place before the Newmarket public my honest opinion regarding the arena purchase proposal.

"For 17 years I have played a part in the operation of the Newmarket arena, in earlier years as ticket seller, and later years as a general manager.

"With the purchase price based at \$17,000 the project will carry itself financially.

"Public skating has increased in interest very much during the past few years. In fact, four times during the last two years, were all previous records for attendance of skaters broken.

"Hockey in Newmarket can be as popular as it was 20 years ago.

"With the camp team of players, who were strangers as individuals, the attendance during the past few years has been wonderfully good. But with the town sponsoring the arena, and also a home-town hockey team, I believe the capacity of the arena would be filled for the games.

"Develop young hockey players. Our young lads deserve a chance to make good in hockey. With the town operating the arena and the town employees looking after the ice surface, then our boys could be given hockey practice time free of charge and thus develop many players who will not only bring honor to themselves, but to our town.

"Free skating for school children is important and few of our citizens have ever seen the Newmarket arena between four and five Friday afternoon. Untold benefits are brought to our children by free skating, and the free time available to school children could be greatly increased under town control.

"The citizen can understand why the arena company with an investment of \$35,000, and all management and workers to pay for, could not do the above mentioned things and continue to pay dividends to their shareholders.

"But with the investment cut in two at \$17,000, and operated as a town activity, the project will more than pay its way. This is my opinion from experience.

"The financial position of our town is excellent, thanks to good work of our council over many years. But there is something

still more important. A great statesman once said, 'The real wealth of a nation is in its numbers of healthy, bright-eyed, intelligent boys and girls.'

"Vote for the purchase of the arena, which will produce not only profits in cash but profits in real wealth for our younger people."

Larry Molyneux: "It is the duty of the people of Newmarket to keep their children interested in sport. Sports minded children are clean minded because they do not have time to run the streets and get into trouble.

"Competitive sports for children make for keener and cleaner minds and instills in them the will to win. This spirit carries on after sport into business life and makes for better men and women for this world of ours.

"Today, most large companies have some athletic department. Maybe it is hockey, baseball or bowling, but they have it for a reason. This reason is obvious, they learn that all important 'Will to Win.' Sport is a good way to relax and enjoy oneself at the same time.

"While playing hockey in the U.S.A., I noticed one town in particular that was really sports minded for their children. This was the town of Hershey, Penn. Here they had swimming pools, baseball and football fields, golf courses and a hockey arena large enough to support a professional hockey team. All this in a small town of 3,000 people, all started by one man who was without children; but who wanted the children of all his employees to be sports minded and active in sports.

"We in Newmarket are fortunate in having a good athletic field and a good arena of which we all can be proud. Many of our own boys in town have learned their hockey right here and have gone up to the big time and made good. Sports teach one to take the bumps with a smile and also how to hand them out which is excellent training for a girl or boy in later life.

Many of yesterday's athletes are today's heroes overseas in the biggest game of all time. Our neighboring towns, such as Aurora and Bradford, own their arenas and the school children have somewhere to skate at a price all can afford. I think it would be wise for the people of Newmarket to own their arena where our children can skate in the winter and which would keep them off the streets."

Mrs. W. H. Wilmot, Sharon: "On behalf of the rural people surrounding Newmarket I am sure I express their sentiments when I say by all means secure the Newmarket arena.

"Many hours of recreation and amusement have been spent here. The need is very apparent and we should do all we can to further such a project."

RECORD HOLSTEIN ENTRY AT MARKHAM FAIR

The black and white show, being held at Markham Fair tomorrow under the auspices of the York County Holstein club, has a record entry list from 24 breeders. Judging by the number of entries, this will possibly be the largest show of Holsteins in the province.

PLAN INTERESTING MEETING

Mrs. Gordon Agnew, one of the younger group of missionaries returned from China, will be the speaker at the annual thank-offering meeting of the Women's Missionary Society auxiliary of Trinity United church on Thursday, Oct. 12 at 3 p.m.

The meeting will be held in the Sunday-school room. Mrs. Henry Cotton will give a vocal number. There will be a social half-hour at the close of the meeting. All persons interested are cordially invited to attend.

EUCHE BRINGS \$70

A successful euche was sponsored by Yonge St. Sewing circle in Middlebrook's hall, Armitage, Tuesday evening. Over \$70 was realized for overseas boxes.

The prize-winners were: ladies, first, Mrs. Del Paton, second, Mrs. Neil Faris, lucky draw, Mrs. Gordon Stevenson; gentlemen, first, Norman Rogers, second, Del Paton, lucky draw, Max Grantham.

A quilt donated by the teacher and pupils of Poplar Bank school was won by Scott Bales. The quilt was later auctioned and a large sum realized. Mrs. John Smith won a basket of groceries.

MEET OCT. 10

The autumn thank-offering meeting of the Evangelical auxiliary of the W.M.S. of Trinity United church will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 10, at 8 p.m., in Trinity Sunday-school rooms.

The guest speaker will be Mrs. L. R. Conpland. Robt. Watson, organist at Trinity United church, will give an instrumental. Mrs. Ada Morgan will be guest soloist.

ATTENDS COLLEGE

Miss Verla Quinn, Trenton, for some time assistant in Salvation Army work in Newmarket, is now attending the Salvation Army training college in Toronto.

"OLD BOY" SPEAKS

Rally Day services were held recently at the Salvation Army. There was a record attendance at the Sunday-school in the afternoon. Miss Norcen Kirbyson, a scholar of the Sunday-school, sang a solo at the evening service, which was also largely attended.

Lieut.-Col. Thos. A. Burton was the special speaker at the evening service on Sept. 24. Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Burton were calling on friends and relatives in town. Lieut.-Col. Burton, a Newmarket old boy, entered the Salvation Army training college in Toronto 45 years ago and has been engaged in the work from coast to coast. He is now retired and living in Barrie.

ANSNORVELD

Rev. M. Schans attended the classical meeting of the Christian Reformed church in Grand Rapids, U.S.A., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Flaher visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Steenhof in Toronto last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. VanDyk and family of Flaherville have taken up residence in the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Horlings, who have moved to Aurora.

Era and Express classifieds bring finder and loser together.

NORTH GWILLIMBURY

Red Cross Committee Plans 'Comforts' Dance

The overseas Christmas box committee of the North Gwillimbury branch of the Red Cross with Mrs. C. Grant as convenor are holding a dance in the township hall at Belhaven on Friday evening, Oct. 13. Mount Albert orchestra will provide the music.

Anyone wishing to make a contribution to this fund are asked to contact Mrs. C. Grant or Mrs. Wm. Davison.

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With full staffs, the Packing Plants of Canada have ample capacity to handle even the tremendously increased numbers of cattle, sheep and swine, which Canadian farmers have ready for market this year. When operating to capacity the Packing Plants can keep the market cleared and livestock can be slaughtered, processed and shipped at its most profitable time, when it is at its market peak. Thus, losses which occur when animals are held beyond the peak—through additional feeding costs, through falling away from peak condition and through the danger to price structures when supply threatens to exceed demand—are avoided.

Last year several hundred Ontario farmers volunteered for work in the plants in processing their own products and protecting their own interests. Production for export this year has increased by 40%. Available man-power has shrunk by 28%.

The Ontario Farm Service Force, in conjunction with Employment and Selective Service has undertaken the task of raising sufficient help from Ontario Farmers to keep Packing Plants operating to capacity this year. This department of the Ontario government's Department of Agriculture feels that this extension of its service is as vitally important to the interests of the farmers of this province as anything it has yet undertaken. The need of meat as a primary essential food to our Allied Armies, to the people of Great Britain and to the starving millions in countries being liberated by our victorious armies, is the basic consideration. In addition, efficient operation in the processing and marketing of livestock is necessary in protecting the greatest export market ever opened to Canadian farmers.

Your services are needed from now until spring. If you cannot devote that full period of time, a month or more will be of great assistance.

OFFER YOUR SERVICES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. If you cannot go to work at once, call or write, stating that you will come, and at what date you will be available. Remember you will be serving your own best interests as well as playing a vital patriotic part in serving your country.

For full information or offering your services, apply in person, phone or write to your nearest office of

EMPLOYMENT AND SELECTIVE SERVICE

or write to

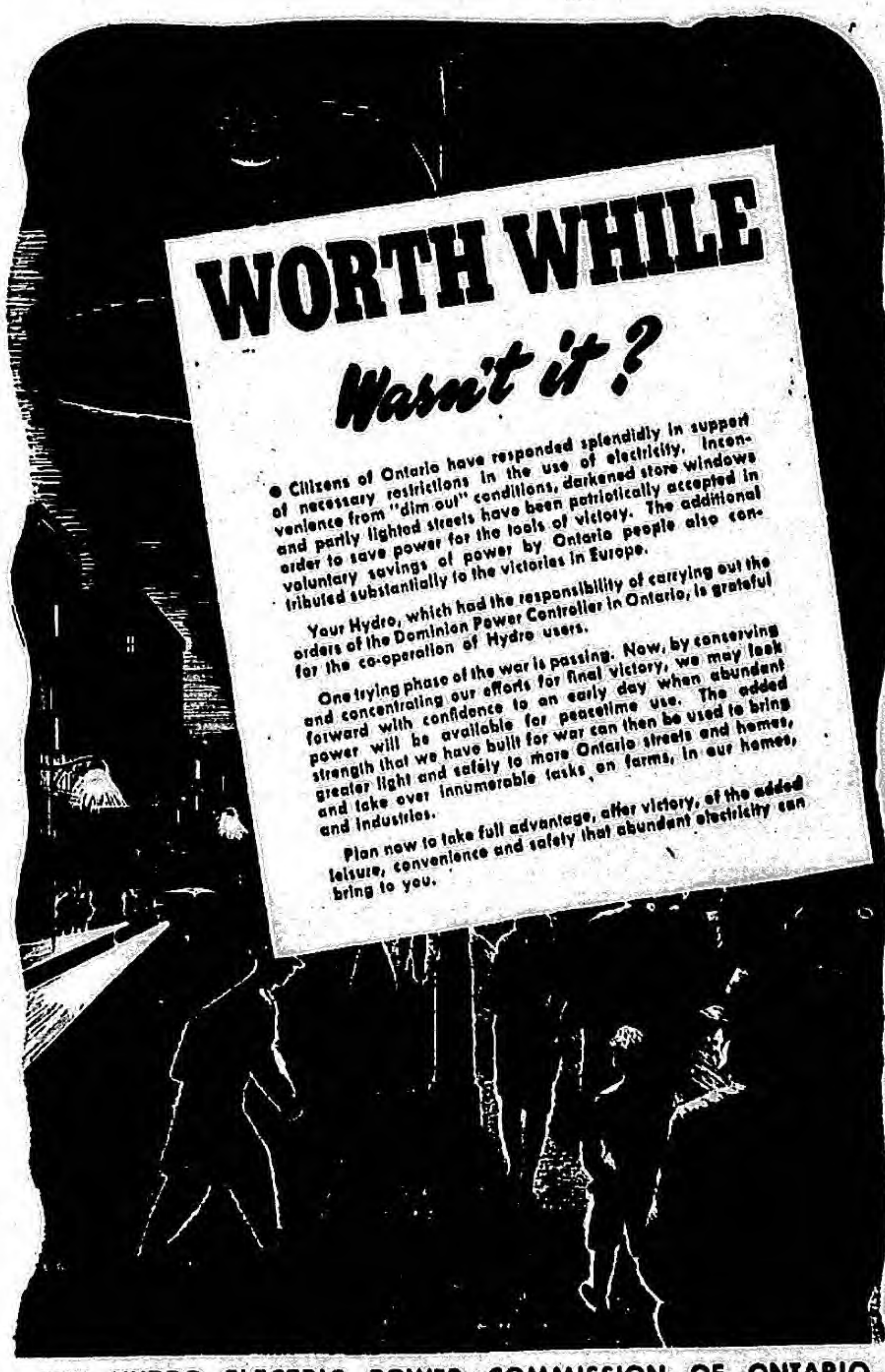
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